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IN THE BEE TO-DAY

WEATHER.

The official local forecast for to-day is rain, clearing to-night; slight change in temperature. For Wednesday, cloudy, cooler.

Observer Hagen says: "The storm is central over the lake region this morning, moving very slowly northwestward. Heavy rain fell last night at Marquette, Manistee, Alpena, LaCrosse and Duluth. Two and three-fourth inches fell at New Orleans. On the east side of the storm the temperature is 60 degrees; on the west side 10 degrees, and this represents the maximum and minimum for the United States. The conditions in the lake region will be favorable for snow Wednesday night. The highest temperature in Toledo yesterday was 58 degrees; the lowest this morning 44 degrees. Total rainfall up to 8 a. m., 30 inches."

Forecast for western New York—Snow or rain; warmer; southerly winds; clearing Wednesday.

For Ohio and Indiana—Showers to-day; clearing and colder Wednesday; westerly winds.

For Michigan and Wisconsin—Rain or snow to-day, followed by colder and generally fair Wednesday; winds shifting to westerly.

For Illinois—Occasional light rain or snow to-day; generally fair and much colder by Wednesday morning; northwesterly winds.

Stations.	Wind.	Tem.	Vel.
Buffalo, cloudy	NE	40	lt
Cleveland, rain	S	58	22
Toledo, cloudy	SW	56	16
St. Louis, clear	SW	52	8
Kansas City, cloudy	NW	40	14
Indianapolis, rain	S	58	10
Chicago, cloudy	SW	54	18
Des Moines, cloudy	NW	38	12
St. Paul, cloudy	NW	34	14
Bismarck, clear	NW	18	lt
Moorhead, clear	NW	18	lt
St. Vincent, cloudy	W	8	lt
Minnedosa, cloudy, calm		14	..
Alpena, rain	E	34	..
Sault Ste Marie, snow	SE	26	28

LOCAL.

Peculiar pension case settled.
Suicide of Mrs. Nellie Glass.
Rector Smythe to leave Toledo.
Gas trustees regular meeting.
Death of Dr. James A. Tenney.
An important verdict rendered.
Mr. Bolles talks to Col. Waldorf.
Company formed to cure inebriates.
Northwestern Ohio teachers meeting.
Aldemanic action; the Mayor vetoes.
University Extension under consideration.
Entertainments for to-night and the week.
Annual meeting of the Ashland Avenue church.

UNITED STATES.

Salton's inland sea.
Telegraphers strike.
Boy murderer in Lima.
Rioting western miners.
Major Overman's case.
Gossip from Washington.
Senator Gear's new canal bill.
Another New Yorker missing.
President Gompers annual report.
No clue to the Florida murderers.
Chief Mayes of the Cherokees, dead.
Jackson and Slavin have signed articles.
The fatal whisky bottle in the Graves trial.
Ohio National Guard at the inauguration.
More Quayism discovered in Pennsylvania.
Quay refuses to take another senatorial term.
Laylin confident of being elected speaker.
Senator Peffer taken into the republican councils.
E. M. Field's arrest causes a serious relapse to Cyrus W. Field.
Mrs. Norcross identifies the dynimiter's head as that of her son.
Senator Chandler makes some serious charges against railroad officials.

FOREIGN.

Starvation in Mexico.
France and Bulgaria on the outs.
Balmaceda was betrayed by a woman.

THEY ALL WENT OUT.

Telegraphers Strike on the Atlantic and Pacific.

Not a Man Working Between Albuquerque and Mohave—Santa Fe to be Drawn In.

Albuquerque, N. M., Dec. 15.—There is not a train dispatcher or operator working on the Atlantic & Pacific from Albuquerque to Mohave, Cal.

There are brotherhood men here in the Santa Fe's employ and if they are ordered to work Atlantic & Pacific business they will refuse, be discharged, and then in all probability a general strike on the Santa Fe be ordered.

The conductors, engineers, firemen and brakemen were in session last night to decide which side to favor.

San Francisco, Dec. 15.—Last night an order was issued by Mr. Rumsey, acting grand chief of the Order of Railway Telegraphers, calling upon the members of the organization on the entire Southern Pacific system of the railroad to leave their keys this morning.

GOLDEN WEDDING.

Tiffin, O., Dec. 15.—The fiftieth anniversary of the marriage of Judge and Mrs. Wm. Lang was celebrated in this city last evening in a manner most complimentary to those worthy pioneers.

Judge Lang was Tiffin's first mayor, the first probate judge of Seneca county, was a member of the state senate during the war, democratic candidate for lieutenant-governor in 1865 and for secretary of state in 1880 besides filling other county and municipal offices.

KNIGHTS OF HONOR.

Stony Ridge, O., Dec. 15.—At the meeting of Stony Ridge lodge, No. 3490, K. of H., held last evening, the following officers were elected for the ensuing six months:

S. P. D., A. W. Rowe; D., Walter Smyth; V. D., G. W. Wagoner; A. D., Nathan Robinson; C., E. C. Calkins; guide, James Jeffrey; G., Bruce Klink; S., Geo. Hazel; trustees, Marshal Cole, Isaac Giddings and Michael Heckley.

COL. MERRILL DEAD.

Cincinnati, Dec. 15.—Col. Wm. E. Merrill, United States engineer in charge of the Ohio river and all its navigable tributaries, dropped dead last night on a train near Edgefield, Ill., while going to Shawneetown on business.

MAJOR OVERMAN'S CASE.

Formal Charges Made Against Him.

The Engineer Will be Given a Chance to Prove His Innocence Before Being Court Martialed.

Washington, Dec. 15.—(Special)—The acting judge advocate-general has prepared formal charges against Major L. C. Overman, charging him with official misconduct while on duty in Cleveland, and inconnection with his accounts.

The charges have been filed with Assistant Secretary Grant who will undoubtedly transmit them to Major Overman, thus giving him a chance to refute them.

If he does not do so satisfactorily a court martial will be ordered.

KISSED THE HEAD,

And Identified It As That of Her Darling Son.

Mrs. Norcross Visits the Morgue in New York

And Falls Weeping on the Ghastly Remains.

A Sad Scene at an Early Hour This Morning.

A Mother's Love Removes From Thought the Hideousness, and She Can Only Think of the Remains as Those of Her Loved Son.

New York, Dec. 15.—The parents of Henry L. Norcross, the Boston note broker, identified the bomb thrower's head at the morgue as that of their son at 1 o'clock this morning. Coroner Messemer had charge of the identification and accepted it as complete.

Previous to the visit to the morgue the coroner took the sworn statements of the note broker's parents, and they will be used at the inquest, which will begin as soon as an expert jury can be summoned.

In the statements made the parents described minutely the appearance of their son, how he was dressed, and also mentioned that Thursday, December 3, was the last they saw him. He then said he was going on a business trip, but failed to name any place. They also swore to the finding of a letter in their son's office, the opening sentence of which follows:

"Dear Mother—I am going to New York to-day to get $1,200,000. If successful I shall return. If not, I shall kill myself."

They could not give the full contents of the letter, as, in accordance with a wish expressed in it by their son, it had been destroyed.

After the statements had been made, Mrs. Norcross expressed a desire to visit the morgue as soon as possible. The coroner complied with her wish, and the party were driven to Bellevue hospital, where they arrived shortly after 1 o'clock. The warden and his assistants arranged the head so as to shock the parents as little as possible. A cloth was placed about the neck, and the party were then ushered into the warden's private office.

Mrs. Norcross was first shown the head. She identified it in the presence of Coroner Messemer. She said positively:

"This is my darling boy. Yes, yes, yes, poor Henry, poor Henry. My poor, darling boy. He never meant to do any harm. He surely did not mean to do wrong.

"My own—my own Henry. Yes, yes, there are his teeth. I know them. I remember these under teeth, and how proud he was of them. And that tooth there. I remember how it was separated. Yes, yes, and his ears—how often I have looked at them. And I remember his hair. That's just the way he used to part it."

At this point the coroner asked the sorrowing mother if she positively identified the head. The sorrowing woman knelt down on the hard floor of the hospital office and laid her head upon the forehead of her dead son, and was about to kiss the forehead when she drew back and said somewhat fiercely: "I wish I had come here alone. I must kiss my boy."

This identification by Mrs. Norcross makes it positive that the man who threw the bomb was Henry L. Norcross.

With a mother's instinct she recognized him who had been the idol of her heart, and, losing sight of the hideousness and repulsiveness of the head in its present condition, and seeing only in it the outlines of one dearly beloved, she pressed her lips to the forehead of the dead man.

None but the mother could have done that.

Mr. Norcross also examined the head and fully identified it as that of his son.

SETTLED AFTER MANY YEARS.

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 15.—The supreme court of the United States yesterday dismissed the suit of the heirs of Samuel Hammond against the Lindell heirs and settled the title to over $2,000,000 worth of real estate lying between Newstead and Kings Highway and Delmar and Laclede avenues, known as the Hunot grant.

CHINA WILL NOT COME.

The Emperor Feels That He Has Been Insulted.

He Has Officially Notified the State Department That He Will Not Attend the Fair.

Washington, Dec. 15.—The Chinese empire has officially notified the state department that it will take no part in the world's fair.

The emperor's grounds for declining to send an exhibit are that the United States has discriminated against the citizens of the empire and that Chinese could not come to the exposition without being put in the humiliating attitude of needing a special passport to be granted by special act of congress.

No objection is raised to Chinese merchants already in the United States participating in the exposition, but China as a country refuses to take any part whatever in the fair.

The result of the China negotiations, which were carried on through Minister Denby, have been wired to Director-General Davis.

A TOWN BADLY CRIPPLED.

Minneapolis, Minn., Dec. 15.—An Oakes, N. D., special says the business portion of that town was destroyed by fire yesterday and Dr. Nelson, in whose office and drug store the flames started, was burned to death. The losses will aggregate $30,000; about two-thirds covered by insurance.

TO REMOVE THE BAR.

Washington, Dec. 15.—Among the 21 bills introduced in the senate yesterday was one to appeal the law prohibiting ex-confederates from entering the army and navy (by Mr. Daniels), and a number of marine and shipping bills by Mr. Frye from the commerce committee.

ESCAPED FROM KHARTOUM.

London, Dec. 15.—Father Ohrwalder and Sisters Chincarine and Venturina, of the Austrian mission in the Soudan, who were captured by the Mahdi in 1883, have escaped from Khartoum and arrived at Koroskol.

DR. RUTH DEAD.

Washington, Dec. 15.—Melanchon L. Ruth, a surgeon in the United States navy and well known in Washington society, is dead.

WM. GORMAN WELLS DEAD.

London, Dec. 15.—Wm. Gorman Wells, the dramatist, died yesterday.

INTERESTING PATENT CASE.

The "Justifier" Has Found Its Way Into Court.

New York, Dec. 15.—The importance of the decision last week of the examiner of interferences in the patent office at Washington, giving the priority of invention of the "Justifier" to the electro typograph company, is emphasized by the fact that the Mergenthaler company has recently obtained an injunction in the United States circuit court in New York and New Jersey, against the Rogers typograph company, for mechanical devices which gave them, as they claim, the monopoly of mechanical composing machines, but both the Mergenthaler and the Rogers company use the wedge "justifier," which the examiner of interferences has now decided to be the property of the Electric Typograph company.

The controversy over the priority of the invention of the "justifier" has been pending for two years in the patent office.

THE ROW AT HEIDELBERG.

Tiffin, O., Dec. 15.—(Special)—Several of the students who were instrumental in the institution of the Greek letter fraternities in connectio nwith Heidelberg university, have been before the faculty, and it is understood they will be expelled. As a majority of the upper class men are also implicated, the matter assumes a serious aspect. The faculty is determined that the fraternities shall not exist and the students are as fully determined that they will have their own way on that question.

GREEN BAY BISHOP.

Green Bay, Wis., Dec. 15.—The appointment of the Rev. Sebastian Missmer, D. D., as bishop of the diocese of Green Bay, was announced in a dispatch received from Rome to-day. The appointee occupies the chair of dogmatic and canon law at the university of Washington.

Previous to this he held the chair for the same studies at the Theological seminary at South Orange, N. J., excepting a short term as rector of the St. Peter's church at Newark, N. J.

CHANDLER IS AFTER GORE.

Some Serious Charges Made Against Officials.

He Charges Them With Much Crookedness and Says They Bribe Government Officials With Passes.

Washington, Dec. 15.—Senator Chandler is continuing his fight against the Boston & Maine railroad which he charges with violating the inter-state commerce law by issuing free passes.

In a letter to the commission on Saturday he declares that the directors are criminals. He mentioned especially Mr. Frank Jones and Mr. Sinclair, describing them as in the business of making drunkards and criminals, and as themselves violating the laws of New Hampshire every day.

But for their wealth, criminally obtained, they would be in prison like common malefactors, says Mr. Chandler, who also charges the directors with bribing government officials with passes and with swindling British investors by selling $500,000 worth of breweries to them for $6,300,000.

THE CHEROKEES' CHIEF DEAD

Joel B. Mayes Goes to the Happy Hunting Ground.

An Interesting Character in the Indian Discussions Is Removed From His Brethren.

Tahlequah, I. T., Dec. 15.—Joel B. Mayes, chief of the Cherokee nation, died here at 6 o'clock yesterday morning. The assistant chief is very ill.

Joel Bryan Mayes was born in the Cherokee reservation, Ga., October 2, 1833. His father was white and his mother of mixed blood, being descended on her paternal side from James Adair, an Indian agent under George III.

Joel was removed while a boy to the Cherokee reservation in Indian Territory. He graduated from the Cherokee male seminary in 1856, and taught until the beginning of the civil war, when he enlisted in the confederate army. He held the position of quartermaster during the war.

He returned to the farm on Grande river in 1865, and was made county commissioner and chief clerk to the Cherokee court, a dual position he held for many years. For two years he was county judge. While holding the latter office he was chosen associate chief justice of the supreme court, and subsequently chief justice of the supreme court. He became chief of the Cherokee nation in August, 1887, having been elected after a close fight.

HE KNEW TOO MUCH.

Washington, Dec. 15.—The assistant secretary of the treasury has reprimanded Wm. Bates, commissioner of navigation for permitting his annual report to be published in advance of submission to the department and for including in it theories, conjectures and other irrelevent matter. He has ordered Mr. Bates to re-write the report and cut it down more than half. The report as first made out contained 40,000 words.

THE LAW IS GOOD.

Washington, Dec. 15.—The supreme court yesterday in the case of the state of Maine v. the Grand Trunk railway, sustained the constitutionality of the Maine law of 1851 prescribing an excise tax on railroads operated within the state for the privilege of exercising their franchise.

WHISKY CAUSED THE CRIME.

Hannibal Mo., Dec. 15.—As a result of frequent drunks and quarrels with his wife, Edward Brown, colored, shot his wife in the abdomen yesterday. Prematurely, she gave birth to a child which was dead, the bullet having passed through its head. At an early hour this morning the wife died. Brown is held for murder without bail.

AGAINST THE PASS SYSTEM.

Columbia, S. C., Dec. 15.—The house has passed the anti-free pass bill which was previously passed by the senate. It prohibits public officers from obtaining passes.

JACKSON AND SLAVIN.

They Will Fight Twenty Rounds on May 30

The Documents Signed for the Ten Thousand Dollar Mill Soon to Take Place.

San Francisco, Dec. 15.—Peter Jackson has received from the National Sporting club the articles of agreement for his fight with Frank Slavin.

Within a few hours of the receipt Peter had affixed his signature under that of his coming opponent and forwarded the papers by mail to London.

They agree to fight 20 rounds with four ounce gloves at catch weights for a purse of $10,000.

The contest is to take place at the National Sporting club on Monday, May 30, 1892.

WAYS OF WASHINGTON.

Some Gossip About the Ohio Delegation.

Congressman Haynes Cutting a Figure.

Strange Things, Even to the Ridiculous, Taken From the Congressional Record—Interesting Gossip from the Capitol.

Washington, Dec. 15.—(Special)—The remark of Socrates, that a calm always followed a storm, is slightly off when one considers Washington and a speakership fight. The probability is that Soc. was not thinking of Washington when he philosophized thusly. Anyway, the calm is still a thing to be. The greater part of the storm, of course, has passed, but now comes the side wipes and cats' paws, most to be dreaded.

The speakership was but the first open fight. Now comes the in-fighting—the short-arm blows that count so much—the fight for places and committees.

Ohio, the general opinion is, will fare extremely well in the committee contest. Congressman Haynes was of great value to Mr. Crisp in his last fight. The Colonel was a staunch supporter of the successful candidate from the start, and worked hard to secure his nomination. The Colonel will undoubtedly be rewarded with a chairmanship of a good committee. Congressman Outhwaite will probably secure the elections committee if he desires it. These will probably be the only ones given to Ohio unless, perhaps, some one gets a minor committee, which is not very likely.

The ways and means committee is puzzling the old heads. A great number give Mr. Springer credit for being in the lead for chairman. There seems to be a growing demand for a western or northern tariff reformer of pronounced views, and Mr. Springer seems to fill the bill. There is little probability that Mr. Mills will be offered the place, and there is a general impression that he would decline it if offered, as he expects to go to the senate in a few months. The committees are generally appointed after the holiday recess, but this time there is a dreadful uncertainty about it.

The rush and bustle for positions still goes on. The successful candidates took a trip to New York during the latter part of the week presumably to get away from the great rush.

Nearly every man who held office in the last legislature in Ohio is here and confident of success, but in view of the fact that of the good places, those of $75 a month and over, there are some 150 less than the total number of democratic representatives, the probability is that some one will have to skate home.

Blaine Very Infirm.

I saw James G. Blaine this morning. He was out walking with Vice-President Morton, and, regardless of the fact that some Philadelphia physician says he is sound as a dollar, he could not walk without trouble and evident pain. Mr. Blaine could no more stand a presidential campaign than he could fly.

There is no question of his popularity here. He is the great I am of the administration and would make a great card. But nothing in the world can brace him up. He is becoming stooped, and the well-known rings under his eyes are becoming more pronounced. His beard is very grey and altogether he looks decidedly decrepit.

Ohio Members.

In the drawing for seats Ohio came out remarkably well. Col. Haynes came within one of getting his old seat back again, or, in other words, his name was drawn just after some one had selected his seat.

Donovan is just behind him, in a seat formerly occupied by Speaker Crisp, and from the gallery the resemblance to the Georgia statesman is startling. On the day the seats were drawn some one in the press gallery referred to Mr. Donovan with the remark, "Why, there is Crisp in his seat."

Messrs. Pierson, Goutz, Dungan and Houk are near them. Cravton and Owens are near the side, while the balance of the delegation are on the republican side.

Tom Johnson and R. Q. Mills have become decidedly chummy and have seats together on the democratic side. It was a sad blow to Tom to see Mills defeated. He would undoubtedly have received an excellent committee as a result of his work.

The Ohio delegation this year is a decidedly young one. George W. Houk, of Dayton, is the oldest, being 66 years. Colonel Haynes is next at 62; Martin K. Gantz, of Troy, is 29, the youngest in the house, except Bailey of Texas, who is his junior by three months. Mr. Donovan is 32 and Mr. Layton 44, although he looks much younger. The balance of the delegation average 38 to 40 years.

The lives of the members are commonplace and, as a rule, the congressional directory only states the plain fact of birth, education and election. Mr. Harter says he is a member of the Cobden club, of London; Reform, of New York, and others, and that he has used his pen and voice in the interests of tariff reform for many years.

John G. Warwick was born in County Tyrone, Ireland, in 1830, and came here in 1850. He is the only foreign-born citizen from Ohio.

There are, however, some of the autobiographies that are really very amusing.

For instance, that of George Franklin Huff says he "came into national prominence during the convention of 1880 as one of the 'Old Guard,' or 'Immortal 306.'"

B. H. Clover, of Kansas, says he was married on All Fool's Day in 1859 and has seven children."

Lucas M. Miller was born in Loviadia, Greece, is the child of a Greek chieftain who was killed in the Greek revolution. He was found on the street after the battle and adopted by an American officer named Miller. He was nominated against his wishes and then told his constituents that if he was elected he proposed to attend to their business, and if defeated he would attend to his own.

Committee Gossip.

It is altogether likely that Mr. Mutchler, of Pennsylvania, will be put on the committee on appropriations, a place he had in the last congress. Mr. Reilly, of the same state, will probably be assigned to the world's fair committee. Mr. Wilson, of West Virginia, who was a member of the committee on manufactures in the Fiftieth congress, will go back to that committee, as he is well equipped for the work.

In addition to this he will be given a first-class place on one of two main committees, or a chairmanship. Many of the northwestern democrats are urging the appointment of Mr. Mitchell, of the Fourth Wisconsin district, for the chairmanship of the committee on military affairs.

Mr. Mitchell was a colonel in the late war and is a member of the board of managers of the Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers and has always taken an active interest in military affairs.

He is a new member and not asking anything, but his friends are presenting his name to the speaker and urging his selection.

Mr. Hatch will probably be given the chairmanship of the committee on agriculture which he held in the last democratic congress.

Mr. Long, of Texas, is well known in agricultural affairs and is president of the Texas State Grange. His preference naturally lies in the direction of the committee on agriculture.

Mr. Bailey, of the same state, is one of the new members, well equipped for any place that may be offered, but modestly asking nothing.

Judge Culberson has requested Mr. Crisp to give Mr. Bailey a good assignment, for the people of Texas look upon him as one of the young men in this congress who will be of great benefit in the councils of the party.

Messrs. Hoar and Williams, who would not vote in the house for Mr. Crisp, have had pleasant interviews with the speaker, the conference including a review of the democratic situation in New England.

To Mr. Stevens, of Massachusetts, a place on the ways and means committee and to the other members of the delegation positions as follows are picked out by their friends:

Coolidge, Pacific railroads; Crosby, postoffice; Cogswell, appropriations; Walker, banking, currency and coinage; Lodge, elections; Daniel, N. H., naval; Page, R. I., rivers and harbors; McKinney, N. H., pensions; and Lapham, R. I., military affairs or patents.

BOLLES' REJOINDER

To the Curt Remarks of Col. Waldorf.

The Shoe Was on the Other Foot—The Newspaper Man Could Have the Senatorial Nomination, But Preferred Otherwise—Now, Mr. Waldorf, Your Turn.

"It was with some surprise," said Mr. Stephen W. Bolles, of the Blade, this morning to a reporter for the Bee, "that I read the attack made upon me by the collector of internal revenue, Col. Waldorf. That sort of thing may go down in the hoop-pole region, where Col. Waldorf received his political training, but he will find that he is now living in Toledo, where he cannot lie and not be caught at it. I have no desire to enter into a personal discussion with this lieutenant of John Sherman, but Col. Waldorf having thrown down the gauntlet, I shall make no hesitation at taking it up. When Col. Waldorf says that I ever made a pledge to Sherman's managers or was ever willing to do such a thing, he not only lies, but puts himself in a peculiar position, since I never had ten minutes' conversation with him on political matters in my life. In my capacity of a newspaper man I made an investigation as to how the Sherman managers were scheming previous to the nomination of senatorial candidates and discovered some facts which if necessary to round up Col. Waldorf's career nicely, I shall make public. Overtures were made to me by men whose names I shall not give. I was told elaborately how I could secure the nomination for state senator, but I never made any pledges, and did not say that I was willing so to do. The government officials, knowing my well known Foraker affiliations, were apparently much alarmed for fear I would be nominated, though, seriously, I never looked upon my candidacy with any particular gravity.

"As to the authorship of Blade editorials that is a matter which is to be settled in another quarter.

"This desperation on the part of the Sherman managers shows to what straits they are driven. I am confident that the sage of Mansfield is defeated to-day, and that is why Col. Wohlorf and officials of that class are spitting so much fire and igniting so many fireworks. The Old Regime dies hard, but it will have to die. It is in the air, and I can afford to be the target for the outpouring of Col. Waldorf's heated temper, so long as John Sherman is to be defeated."

FAVORS RECIPROCITY.

Bold Words From Oliver Mowatt's Pen.

An Open Letter In Which the Needs of Canada Are Set Forth in a Few Sentences.

Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 15.—Oliver Mowat, premier of Ontario, has written an open letter to Alexander MacKenzie, the veteran ex-premier of the dominion.

Mr. Mowat declares that he is in favor of unrestricted reciprocity and believes that it can be brought about without imperilling the loyalty of Canada to Great Britain.

He ridicules the annexation movement and declares that as great as Canada is, the time for forming itself into an independent nation has not arrived.

OHIO NATIONAL GUARD.

The Boys Get a Bid to See McKinley Inaugurated.

Columbus, O., Dec. 15.—Adjutant General Dill this morning issued the following circular:

The citizens' committee of the city of Columbus, acting in conjunction with others in arranging for the inauguration of Governor-elect Wm. McKinley, jr., on Monday, January 11, 1892, have extended through this department an invitation to the Ohio National guard to be present on that occasion, in the inaugural ceremonies.

The committee has arranged for special railway rates over all roads leading to Columbus, and for quarters and subsistence for all military organizations in attendance.

The entire national guard of the state are cordially invited to be present and participate in the parade, the grand review, and other ceremonies of the day.

From information received the indications are that the attendance will be large and imposing, and in order that the guard may make the best possible appearance, it is requested that it appear in fatigue uniform and heavy marching order.

Commanding officers of organizations, who purpose attending the inauguration with their commands, will please notify these headquarters at the earliest possible date of the probable number of their respective commands that will be present in order that the citizens' committee may be advised of the number to make preparation to care for.

YOUNG FIELD ARRESTED.

Charge Before the Law With Grand Larceny.

The Announcement of His Son's Arrest Causes a Serious Shock to Cyrus W. Field, the father.

New York, Dec. 15.—Mr. Cyrus W. Field was notified of his son's arrest last evening and the shock was a terrible one.

He had just begun to rally from the first sickness, and it is feared there will be a relapse, which in Mr. Field's weakened condition would almost certainly end his life.

His physicians were hastily summoned and remained a long time in the house. When they left they refused to talk of Mr. Field's condition.

Edward Field was arrested last night on a charge of grand larceny and is now locked up at the police headquarters.

FRANCE AND BULGARIA.

They Do Not Speak As They Pass By.

A Reporter Starts a Row Between Two Countries.

French Diplomatic Relations Severed With Bulgaria on Account of the Writings of M. Chadonine, Journalist.

Sofia, Dec. 15.—The French diplomatic agent here has broken off his relations with the Bulgarian authorities to accede to the demand of France that a journalist named Chadonine, who was recently expelled from the country, be allowed to return.

The French charge d'affaires, M. Lanel, in a note to the Bulgarian government, protested against the expulsion of the journalist as a flagrant and premeditated violation of the treaties existing between France and Bulgaria.

In reply the Bulgarian government sent a note saying that Chadonine had been systematically sending to the French press lying and calumnious stories about Bulgaria; that he had twice before been threatened with expulsion, but disregarding the warning had continued to throw discredit upon Bulgaria abroad and to create trouble within the country; that the expulsion of Chadonine was not a violation of treaties, inasmuch as there were none in existence that applied to foreigners who interfered in internal politics of Bulgaria, and finally that the Bulgarian government was unable to rescind the order of expulsion, but hoped that the incident would not disturb the good relations existing between Bulgaria and France.

Immediately upon receiving the government's reply M. Lanel proceeded to the foreign ministry and verbally announced that he had received instructions from the government to sever diplomatic relations with Bulgaria. The event has caused great uneasiness in political circles.

BETRAYED BY A WOMAN.

How Balmaceda's Hiding Place Was Discovered.

The Wife of His Most Bitter Enemy Gave Admiral Montt a Pointer as to His Whereabouts.

Seattle, Wash., Dec. 15.—A special to the Post Intelligencer from Port Townend, Wash., says that J. Perkins Shanks, an American engineer who for the past 22 years has resided in Chili, and who arrived here a few days ago, tells the story how Balmaceda was betrayed. He said:

"Balmaceda was betrayed by the Argentine minister, Senor Uribirrn, in Santiago in this manner: When Balmaceda sent his minister to request Senor Uribirrn to shelter him against the attack of insurgents, it was agreed that Balmaceda should arrive at the Argentine legation at 4 o'clock in the morning.

"When he arrived he was met by the senor and on entering he met, face to face, the wife of his most bitter enemy, Mrs. Carlos Walker Martinez, who had taken refuge in the same legation, fearing an attempt on her life on the part of the Balmacedans.

"Great confusion followed the meeting, and the lady was compelled to take a solemn oath not to divulge the whereabouts of Balmaceda. But she entered into intrigue with the Argentine minister to betray Balmaceda to Jorge Montt.

"Word was sent notifying Montt of Balmaceda's hiding place. Montt immediately took steps to induce the ex-dictator to surrender himself peacefully to the newly constituted authorities, promising every guarantee of a fair and just trial. Balmaceda agreed to surrender at the holidays.

"From the day Balmaceda received the first word from Montt he commenced preparing for death and began writing instructions disposing of all his personal effects, and when the time arrived for him to surrender he killed himself, knowing that he could not receive justice."

THE FATAL WHISKY BOTTLE.

Interesting Testimony in the Graves Trial.

Mrs. E. S. Worrell Tells of the Sickness and Distress After Mrs. Barnaby Drank From the Flask.

Denver, Col., Dec. 15.—Mrs. E. S. worrell, jr., has given some very damaging testimony against Dr. Graves. A rigid cross examination failed to shake her testimony.

She said she became acquainted with Mrs. Barnaby last June, when she arrived in this city with Mrs. Worrell. On her trip to California Mrs. Barnaby remained to attend the wedding of the witness. She next saw her in April when she returned from California.

Witness remembered the arrival of the deadly bottle at her house but could not say that she had seen it before. She thought, however, it contained whisky, for she heard some one say it did.

While Mrs. Barnaby was at her house she and the witness and her husband, and Mrs. Worrell, senior, visited Mr. Worrell's ranch near Morrison. They went by carriage. They spent their time at the ranch in the house.

Mrs. Worrell, sr., was not very hungry and did not eat much, but Mrs. Barnaby seemed to be very hungry, and ate a hearty meal.

She remembered this trip well because that night both of the ladies were taken ill. She was questioned by the physicians. The party returned from the ranch about 6 o'clock that night. Witness and her husband stopped at his office and Mrs. Barnaby and Mrs. Worrell took a Twenty-second avenue car home.

Mr. Worrell stopped at the office to get his mail. When witness and he arrived home the two ladies were very ill. They asked Mrs. Worrell what was wrong. She replied that Mrs. Barnaby had mixed two whisky toddys and they had drank them and had become ill.

Witness hurried into Mrs. Barnaby and found her in bed. Mrs. Worrell was retching, and exclaimed: "I am burning up." She said she did not think the whisky was right, and Mrs. Barnaby said: "Nonsense, if anything was wrong I would be sick too."

A few minutes later Mrs. Barnaby was taken sick with the same symptoms and became worse, and continued to sink until she died.

Dr. Graves arrived on the Friday after her death and said he had been delayed because he had missed connections and was ill at Chicago.

He was very much excited and accused the Bennetts of sending the fatal bottle.

At the depot where the remains were to be taken east he offered Mrs. Worrell some whisky, for she was ill, but she turned away in horror.

DIVIDEND DECLARED.

Boston, Dec. 15.—The Oregon railway and navigation company has declared a quarterly dividend of one and one-half per cent. payable January 2d.

Why do you endure the agony of dyspepsia? Simmons Liver Regulator will always cure you.

ABOUT OHIO.

Lima is talking of building a workhouse.

The Elks of Canton have fitted up new lodge rooms.

Gas consumers of Cleveland demand a meter inspector.

Fulton county will build a new infirmary in the spring.

Jacob Smith, of Defiance, was instantly killed by a falling tree.

The sheriff's residence and jail at Kent are ready for occupancy.

The Good Templars will erect a $15,000 building at Lakeside.

James Williams, of Montville, Geauga county, is missing from home.

Canton is discussing the advisability of lighting the city by electricity.

Springfield's test gas well has been completed and is a pronounced failure.

Bowling Green citizens held a mass meeting and resolved to build water works.

The St. Vincent's De Paul's Catholic church at Akron gave a fair and realized a profit of $1,200.

The citizens of Findlay met and appointed a committee to formulate plans to boom the town.

The location of the agricultural experiment station near Wooster is to be litigated by Orville citizens.

Burglars robbed two business stores at West Cairo, Allen county, and procured $150 worth of valuables.

NO CLUE TO THE CRIMINALS

The Fiendish Florida Murderers Are Still at Large.

Terrible Scenes Witnessed by the Citizens When the Alarm was First Given—Hunting for the Murderers.

Jacksonville, Fla., Dec. 15.—(Special)—There is a growing suspicion that murder of the four people at Smyrna was committed by some one fully acquainted with the surroundings. Irvin Jenkins the first to discover the crime has been arrested, but nobody believes him to be guilty.

The murder of Mrs. Hatch and the two children was undoubtedly to destroy evidence of the assault upon and killing of Miss Bruce.

The revolver and shotgun were the property of Mr. Packwood, and either Miss Bruce or Miss Hatch had used them in self-defense.

Two hundred men armed, on horseback and afoot are scouring the country with bloodhounds.

One of the first men to reach the scene after the alarm had been given thus tells the story of the crime:

When we reached the house we all crowded around the broken window and peered in. Before our eyes was an appalling spectacle. On her back by the window in a pool of blood Mrs. Hatch lay, with a pistol ball wound in the corner of her left eye. Her face blackened with powder. The other bodies lay near her.

When the crash came she had evidently been near the window. When the murderer entered her little son, frenzied with fright, had probably fled, as a child would, and had sought refuge in the bed clothes of a bed lounge at the other end of the room. He was torn from there, shot over the left eye and his throat cut in three places. His head was almost severed from his body. The bed clothes were stained crimson.

While the murderer was entering the window, Miss Bruce had apparently secured an old Smith & Wesson pistol which was handy and fired at him. The ball took effect in the window frame. The murderer, heedless of this onslaught, continued his terrible work. By this time Miss Bruce had gone to the closet and secured a double-barreled shotgun. She leveled it at the murderer as he approached, but unfortunately both hammers snapped on shells that had been exploded many days before.

He overpowered her and accomplished his devilish purpose, probably after killing her little nephew. After this part of the tragedy the murderer shot her through the right cheek, the ball crashing through her thigh, striking on the wall and falling on the bed. There must have been another struggle for the possession of the gun.

He tore it from her grasp and, swinging around his head with both hands clutching the barrel, drove the stock against her face with terrble force. The blow struck her between the forehead and nose and crushed her skull. Every bone in her face was broken. Then with with a keen bread knife he stabbed her in the neck, cutting out a square section of flesh, and finishing with two terrible gashes on her throat.

Frankie Packwood, a beautiful little golden haired child of 5 years, was found on the floor at the foot of the bed with his throat cut. His features had been marred. The floors of both rooms were completely covered with blood, and the mattress on the bed on which Miss Bruce lay was soggy with gore. On the curtains and walls blood was spattered thickly. When the neighbors later on began to clear up the premises the blood had to be carried from the rooms in dippers. It was then scooped up in masses and thrown out; then the remainder was sopped up with clothes, and the spots were scrubbed and strewn with flour; but even this did not hide the evidence of the bloody crime.

OVER IN MICHIGAN.

Mt. Pleasant is going to have a baby show.

Alpena is discussing street railroad possibilities.

Dr. Talmage lectured to 4,000 people at Ann Arbor.

The lumber camps are infested with snap shot fiends.

The schools at Rosbush are closed on account of scarlet fever.

Music is to be introduced in the regular course of the Plainwell schools.

Lester Payne has been arrested at Battle Creek for the fraudulent use of the mails.

The street railroad between St. Joseph and Benton Harbor will be operated by electricity.

Christmas trees are being shipped by the car load from the upper peninsula to Chicago and other cities.

Peter English has been granted a franchise to build 10 miles of electric street railroad in Benton Harbor.

The shoe shop in the prison at Jackson employs 160 convicts, and 1,200 pairs of shoes are turned out daily.

James Barnes arrived at his home in Grand Haven from Grand Rapids and no one has seen him since he left the depot.

A family named Flynn, at West Bay City, ate potatoes fried in impure lard, and the doctors had a hard time to save their lives.

R. K. Middleworth, a traveling man of Grand Rapids, was found dead in the woods near that city, with a revolver gripped in his hand.

BOLD ROBBERY OF A FARMER.

Cadiz, O., Dec. 15.—John J. Gotschall, a farmer residing north of Cadiz, was robbed of $370, $110 of it gold, also a number of valuable papers.

His house was broken into by two masked men, and while one stood guard over him with a revolver the other ransacked the house. Mr. Gotschall is a bachelor, and lives alone.

ROWLEN v. WEYBRECHT.

Canton, O., Dec. 15.—Taking of testimony in the contested election case of Wm. H. Rawlen against B. F. Weybrecht, the democrat, who was declared elected to the legislature by the judges, has begun and will likely continue several days. Rowlen seems confident of success.

The dealers say Salvation Oil has stepped right to the front. Price only 25 cents.

From every section of the land reports come praising Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup. 25c.

Have you seen the offices in the Bee building? Steel ceilings. Letters mailed on any floor. More conveniences than any other office building in the city.

THIS IS THE LAST.

The Five Dollar Period Positively Expires With the Close of December, Those Desiring Must Avail Themselves of the Rate Now —There Will Be No Further Extension.

One thing should be clearly and distinctly stated at this time. This is positively and unequivocally the last month of the $5 treatment. Patients who desire to take treatment under this offer must avail themselves of it at once. There will be no further extension of time. Drs. Copeland and Buffett have sought to give all an opportunity of availing themselves of this merely nominal rate. They have extended the time three times, and December is the last month in which the offer holds good. All patients being under treatment or placing themselves under treatment before January 1, will be treated at the rate of $5 a month until cured.

Catarrh and Consumption,

which go hand in hand, in this climate of ours, should be met at this season with the most faithful, persistent and skillful care. Continued evidence of the result obtained by the skillful personal care and attention of Drs. Copeland and Buffett may be noticed in such cases as that given below by Miss S. Chattinger, who resides at 2521 Cherry street, and is employed at the Toledo Knitting works on Superior street. Her experience given in her own words is as follows:

"Previous to a year ago last June I had very fair health, but at that time began to fail and since then the miseries I have endured would baffle description."

Miss S. Chattinger, 2521 Cherry street.

"My trouble began with what I supposed was ague, the bones throughout my entire body ached, my flesh seemed tender and sore to the touch, I had a headache nearly every day, I was always dull and drowsy. Then, though it was in the summer time, I would catch cold very easy, my nose would clog up, scales would form on both sides, completely filling the nasal passages. My eyes became weak and watery. The secretions from the head would drop into the throat, irritating it so as to keep me constantly hawking and spitting to keep it clear. In about three months time this condition of affairs reached the lungs and stomach. I began to have annoying pains through the chest and back, and most peculiar sensations about the heart. For three months I coughed so hard that my throat and stomach were kept constantly sore by the strain. I had no appetite and was fast losing flesh and strength, when I was induced to consult Drs. Copeland and Buffett. You can say for me that I cannot too highly recommend these specialists. They had an intelligent understanding of my case from the very start, one by one the symptoms began leaving me until today I am a well woman."

This statement can be easily verified by seeing or writing Miss Chattinger at the above address.

REPRESENTATIVE MEN.

MR. C. E. McLEAN, 935 Indiana avenue, connected with Roth & Friedman's dyeing establishment, says: "Drs. Copeland and Buffett worked wonders in my case. My catarrhal trouble has disappeared under their skillful treatment. I cannot recommend them too highly."

MR. N. R. DULL, 2215 Lorlie street, contracting carpenter, says: "I recommend Drs. Copeland and Buffett as physicians of marked ability. They relieved me of a catarrhal complaint of long standing."

MR. JOSEPH COOMBS, watchman at the "Blade" building, residing at 388 Indiana avenue, says: "To the diligent, faithful, scientific and skillful treatment I received of Drs. Copeland and Buffett do I attribute the fact of my being restored to health."

MR. EUGENE McCARTHY, a member of the Toledo police force, residing at 316 Knower street, says: "Drs. Copeland and Buffett cured me of an aggravating hay fever, and I unhesitatingly recommend these physicians."

TREATED BY MAIL.

The following testimonial furnishes a notable case of the results of Drs. Copeland and Buffett's system of treatment by mail:

Drs. Copeland and Buffett, respectfully:

"I hereby certify that I have used your catarrh remedies, as directed, that you sent me by mail, and have received great benefit thereby. And I fully believe that a permanent cure will be obtained by continuing the use of your medicines a reasonable length of time, which I am very anxious to do."

Yours truly,
MRS. MINNIE WHITE,
Box 22. Mancelona, Mich.

A CHALLENGE.

Drs. Copeland and Buffett offer $1,000 to any one who will disprove one of their printed statements. This challenge is made in good faith, and will be kept standing in these columns.

$5.00 PER MONTH.

CATARRH AND ALL DISEASES OF THE NOSE and THROAT treated for $5.00 PER MONTH, FOR THE REMAINDER OF THE YEAR, UP TO JANUARY 1st. MEDICINES FURNISHED FREE.

Drs. Copeland and Buffett treat successfully all curable cases at the Copeland Medical Institute, 706 Madison street. Office hours, 9 to 11 a. m., 2 to 5 p. m. and 6 to 8 p. m. Sundays, 9 a. m. to 1 p. m. Specialties—Catarrh and all diseases of the eye, ear, throat and lungs, chronic diseases.

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Nervous Diseases Cured.

Skin Diseases Cured.

Catarrh Cured.

A NEW CANAL BILL.

Mr. Gear Will Spring it in the Senate.

He Proposes to Sell all But Two of the Waterways and Greatly Improve Those Remaining.

Columbus, O., Dec. 15.—Senator-elect William Gear, of Wyandot county, who is in the city to-day, promises to introduce in the senate a bill to abandon and sell all the canals except the Miami and Erie canal, connecting Cincinnati and Toledo, and that part of the Ohio canal between Cleveland and Dresden.

The proceeds of the sale are to be used in widening and deepening the two canals described so as to make them navigable by steamboats. It is estimated that about $18,000,000 would be required to so improve the Miami and Erie canal and $10,000,000 for the improvement of the Ohio canal.

Mr. Gear would have the course of the former diverted near Cincinnati into Mill creek.

The Ohio canal, as contemplated by the author of the prospective measure, is to be emptied into the Muskingum river, recently improved by the government, at Dresden, affording water transportation for boats thus of heavy draught between Cleveland and the Ohio river.

Heofland's Bitters for dyspepsia.

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Contains a Superb Stock and Magnificent Variety of Ladies', Misses' and Children's

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Lady: "Clerk in a bank."
C. T.: "Pardon me. I thought from the elegance of your dress he might be the president."
Lady: "Oh, no! You see, we get our clothes of the Hyman Co. on easy payments, so we can afford to dress nice and pay as we earn."

GENTS' DEPARTMENT

Contains a Fine Line of Tailor-Made Garments for Men, Youths and Boys, consisting of

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ENTERTAINMENTS.

A Splendid Production of "Hands Across the Sea."

"Mr. Wilkinson's Widows" To-Night—A New Society Drama—Coming Attractions.

Hands Across the Sea, which is holding the boards at the People's theater all this week, is the best attraction that the patrons of that house have been favored with this season. The play is far ahead of the ordinary, with a strong plot and good situations. It made a great hit at this house last year, and this success will probably be repeated.

The scenes are laid in Devonshire, Eng.; in Paris; on board a steamship and in Sidney, Australia. There are many splendid spectacular and scenic effects and the stage mechanism is most elaborate, two of the revolving scenes being especially fine.

The scenery, however, does not subordinate the acting, as is too often the case, for the cast is carried by a large and very excellent company of good actors.

This includes William Harcourt, as Jack Dudley, the hero, and his work in the part is very meritorious, his acting being strong, manly and natural; Henry Pierson carried out well the part of Robert Stillwood, the arch-villain and schemer, and the Frenchman Jean de Lussac was well played by J. R. Finlong; William Richardson, as Tom Bassett; W. H. Wallis, as Dick Melford; John S. Hale, as Hiram Hickory; Gus Hyde, as the Irish French waiter, and Cora Edsall, as Lillian Melford, were all good and the minor parts were also held up in an excellent manner.

This company includes two people whose careers on the stage are especially interesting to Toledo people. These are George W. Parsons, an old Toledo boy, whose work as Count Paul is deserving of much praise, and Miss Carrie Oesterman, the clever little soubrette, in the part of Lucy Nettlewood. This part was last season played by her older sister Anna, who made a decided hit. Miss Carrie took her place a few months ago, and without any previous stage training, is displaying a talent that is really wonderful. Her reception last night was in the nature of an ovation, and several elegant floral tributes were sent up to her.

Mr. Wilkinson's Widows.

William Gillette's new farce, "Mr. Wilkinson's Widows," will be presented at Wheeler's to-night and to-morrow. The New York Times speaks of it as follows:

"'Mr. Wilkinson's Widows' is funny from beginning to end. Its mirth is good genuine farce fun, always a trifle exaggerated and depending for its effect on the serious attitude of the actors. The situations are ludicrous in the extreme, and they are heaped up in a bounteous profusion. It is a farce that has a touch of Gallic art about it, naturally, as it is founded on Alexandre Bisson's 'Feu Toupinel,' and at times it seems to approach riskiness; but it never once enters upon the ground which is the especial preserve of the French dramatist."

New Society Drama.

"The Old, Old Story," or "Beekman & Son, Bankers," which will be presented at the Wheeler opera house the last two nights of this week by the West & Sabel New York stock company, is a society comedy drama. It is the work of two American authors, Benjamin F. Roeder and Walter C. Bellows. It was originally produced at the Lyceum theater, New York, where it was enthusiastically received by the elite audiences of that fashionable play-house. Receiving the strong endorsement of the metropolitan press, its success on tour has been phenomenal, and the most conservative critics everywhere unite in pronouncing it equal to "Men and Women," "The Wife" and "The Charity Ball."

"Red Spider."

The attraction at the People's next week will be J. J. Dowling and Sadie Hasson in the Red Spider. A special Christmas matinee will be given Friday afternoon. The following is from the Cincinnati Enquirer:

"J. J. Dowling and Sadie Hasson, supported by an exceptionally fine company, appeared last night in the Red Spider, for the first time in this in the Red Spider, for the first time in this city, and scored an immense success. The play, although of the wild west order, possesses none of the blood-curdling sensations so common to productions of this class. The scenery incidental to the play is splendid, and the specialties far above the average. Mr. J. J. Dowling as the Red Spider, of whom 'Fate has exacted an oath, and that oath is registered anew with every morning sun,' is an actor of more than medium ability, and he was ably supported by Miss Sadie Hasson, the little landlady known as Roxy."

DROPPED DEAD WHILE PLOWING

Oberlin, O., Dec. 15.—Harley Bartholemew, a resident of West College street, and about 50 years old, was found dead in a lot directly back of his house where he was doing some plowing. When found he had one hand on the plow as if bracing himself. Heart disease is supposed to have been the cause of death.

$30,000 DAMAGE SUIT.

Akron, O., Dec. 15.—The damage case fo Henry Arnecke v. the F. Schumacher Milling company, was placed on trial in common pleas court, Judge E. E. Hamilton, of Cleveland, on the bench.

Arnecke asks for $30,000 damages. He claims that he was so seriously injured by the dropping of an elevator in the cereal mills that he will be a cripple for the remainder of his days.

AGAINST SUNDAY FUNERALS.

Zanesville, O., Dec. 15.—The Zanesville preachers at their meeting pledged themselves not to officiate hereafter at Sunday funerals unless it was absolutely necessary to hold the funeral on the Sabbath, and that, they further resolved, when held on that day they be devoid of unnecessary display.

RECOMMEND FREE DELIVERY.

Akron, Dec. 15.—George C. Holton, of Cincinnati, one of the United States postoffice inspectors, was in Akron yesterday to consider the advisibility of giving the Sixth ward free delivery. It is said that he will recommend this improvement to the postoffice department.

DESTROYED BY FIRE.

Joliet, Ill., Dec. 15.—The works of the Chicago Wire and Spring company, at Lockport, were destroyed by fire yesterday. Loss about $50,000.

Garfield Tea corrects evils of over-eating, and restores to health the liver, kidneys and bowels.

WILL BE NO STRIKE.

Such is Carnegie's Statement to the Public.

New York, Dec. 15.—Andrew Carnegie says there is no truth in the report that 3,500 men employed in the Homestead mills at Pittsburg intend to go on strike soon.

He also denied that the ground purchased at Duquesne, was bought for the purpose of putting up shops where armor can be made. Mr. Carnegie says the firm have a three year's contract with the men which does not expire until January 1, 1893, and he does not, therefore, see how the men can strike.

The land at Duquesne was purchased, he says, with a view of future extension of the works. Some blast furnaces may be built there soon, but that is all the use that will be made of the land for some time to come.

VETOED,

Was the General Street Railway Ordinance.

Mayor Emmick Thinks it is Unjust to the Street Railway Companies—Annexation—Aldermanic Business.

At the meeting of the board of aldermen last evening all members were present except Messrs. Potter and Peiter. There was a good-sized lobby on hand, and as several important matters were to come up there was much wire pulling and many corner conferences. There were no lengthy discussions during the meeting, however.

A resolution to advertise for proposals for collecting and disposing of garbage for one, three or five years was read, as were also the specifications.

Mr. Hartford thought that three or five years would be too long a time for the city to enter into any such contract, as long before it expires the city will have changed considerably. He moved to make the contract for one year.

Mr. Huberich opposed this, as he thought a one-year contract for a business like this was too short a time for a man to invest his money.

Mr. Hartford then changed his amendment to two years, and it carried, Mr. Huberich alone voting no.

The resolution as amended was also adopted, Mr. Huberich again voting against it.

The ordinance prohibiting porters, agents or runners for hotels, hacks or street car lines from soliciting patronage in the streets, was referred back to the committee on motion of Mr. Macomber.

An ordinance was passed to pave the alley between St. Clair and Superior streets from Jefferson to Monroe; also an ordinance to establish the grade of Lee street.

A resolution was adopted to grade Walnut street from Yates to Frederick.

A resolution was adopted to construct a sewer in the alley between Dorr and Hicks streets from sewer 35 to Forest avenue.

On leave Mr. Huberich presented a resolution extending the street railway charter on Broadway, granted to H. S. Walbridge and others, to Jan. 1, 1893, and it was referred to the street railway committee. This is the Toledo end of the proposed electric railway to Maumee.

An ordinance to vacate part of Speilbusch avenue was laid over for two weeks.

City Solicitor Reed reported back the annexation ordinance with a new boundary line, as he had been instructed by the committee.

City Solicitor Reed stated that it would be well for the council to carefully consider this, and he suggested that the boundary be put in a different description to conform with section lines.

Mr. Everett presented a remonstrance against annexation from property owners in West Toledo.

On motion of Mr. Macomber the ordinance went to the committee.

The general street railway ordinance, which had such a long struggle in the council until finally passed, was reported back from the mayor with a veto. He stated as his reason for this that he had been convinced that it would be an unjust burden upon the street railway companies to compel them to make the improvements required in the ordinance.

Business from the board of councilmen was all adopted except a rejected claim of Mrs. E. F. Hall, which was referred back to the judiciary committee.

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Both the method and results when Syrup of Figs is taken; it is pleasant and refreshing to the taste, and acts gently yet promptly on the Kidneys, Liver and Bowels, cleanses the system effectually, dispels colds, headaches and fevers and cures habitual constipation. Syrup of Figs is the only remedy of its kind ever produced, pleasing to the taste and acceptable to the stomach, prompt in its action and truly beneficial in its effects, prepared only from the most healthy and agreeable substances, its many excellent qualities commend it to all and have made it the most popular remedy known.

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STOCKHOLDERS' ANNUAL MEETINGS

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The annual meeting of the stockholders of the FIRST NATIONAL BANK for the election of directors, will be held at the banking house Tuesday, January 12, 1892. Polls open from 10 a. m. to 3 o'clock p. m.

J. M. SPENCER, Cashier.
Toledo, O., Dec. 1, 1891.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the SECOND NATIONAL BANK of Toledo, Ohio, for the election of directors, will be held at the banking office on Tuesday, January 12, 1892. Polls open from 10 a. m. to 3 p. m. C. F. ADAMS, Cashier.
Toledo, O., Dec. 1, 1891.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the PRODUCE EXCHANGE SAFE DEPOSITE COMPANY will be held Tuesday, January 19, 1892, at 10 a. m., at room 26, Produce Exchange Safe Deposite Co. building.

F. B. SHOEMAKER, Secretary.
Toledo, O., Dec. 1, 1891.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the TOLEDO BEE COMPANY, will be held at their office in Toledo, Ohio, on Monday, January 4, 1892, at 4 p. m., for the annual election of directors, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

F. P. CHAPIN, Secretary.
Toledo, O., Dec. 1, 1891.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the LENK WINE COMPANY, for the election of directors and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting, will be held at the company's office, Tuesday, January 12, 1892, from 10 to 11 o'clock a. m.

THEO. BECKMAN, Secretary.
Toledo, O., Dec. 1, 1891.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of THE PRESQUE ISLE COMPANY, for the election of directors and such other business as may properly come before the meeting, will be held at the Bee office on Monday, January 4, 1892, at 8 o'clock p. m.

F. P. CHAPIN, Secretary.
Toledo, O., Dec. 1, 1891.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the TOLEDO ELECTRIC COMPANY will be held at their office in Toledo, Monday, January 4, 1892, at 10 a. m., for the election of directors, and for such other business as may come before said meeting.

F. B. DODGE, Secretary.
Toledo, O., Dec. 1, 1891.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the TOLEDO CAR WHEEL AND FOUNDRY COMPANY, will be held at the office of said company in Toledo, O., on Monday, January 11, 1892, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the election of directors and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

H. B. MILMINE, Secretary.
Toledo, O., Dec. 1, 1891.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the CENTRAL CHANDELIER COMPANY for the election of directors and the transaction of any other business that may be brought before them, will be held at the company's office Wednesday, February 11, 1892, at 10 o'clock a. m.

F. B. DODGE, Secretary.
Toledo, O., Dec. 1, 1891.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

There will be a meeting of the stockholders of THE ROGERS CAR AXLE BOX COMPANY, at their office in Toledo, O., on Monday, January 11, 1892, at 5:00 p. m., for the annual election of directors and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

J. B. BREYMANN, Secretary.
Toledo, O., Dec. 1, 1891.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of THE BUCKEYE PAINT AND VARNISH COMPANY, for the election of directors, and for the transaction of any other business that may come before the meeting, will be held at the office of the company, corner 15th and Lucas streets, Monday, January 11, 1892.

PETER F. WHALEN, President.
Lewis Riebel, Secretary.
Toledo, O., Dec. 1, 1891.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the GENDRON IRON WHEEL COMPANY for the election of directors, will be held at the company's office Monday, January 4, 1892, at 7 o'clock p. m.

J. F. VOGEL, Secretary.
Toledo, O., Dec. 1, 1891.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the TOLEDO HOTEL COMPANY, will be held at the Boody house, Toledo, O., on Monday, January 11, 1892, at 3 p. m. for the annual election of directors, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

JOHN S. KOUNTZ, Secretary.
Toledo, O., Dec. 4, 1891.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

The annual meeting of the PHENIX COAL COMPANY will be held at their office in the new Bee building, on Monday, February 8, 1892, for the annual election of directors, and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

C. F. REALS, Secretary.
Toledo, O., Dec. 1, 1891.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the GRASSER & BRAND BREWING COMPANY, will be held at its office on Monday, January 4, 1892, at 2 p. m., for the election of officers.

C. R. BRAND, Treasurer.
Toledo, O., Dec. 1, 1891.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the TOLEDO SPICE COMPANY will be held at the office of the company, 515 Monroe street, on Monday, January 11, 1892, between the hours of 2 and 4 p. m., for the election of directors and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

LYMAN ROWE, Secretary.
Toledo, O., Dec. 1, 1891.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the KETCHAM NATIONAL BANK, for the election of directors, will be held at the Ketcham National Bank, Tuesday, January 12, 1892. Polls close at 3 p. m.

S. H. WARING, Cashier.
Toledo, O., Dec. 1, 1891.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the MERCHANTS' NATIONAL BANK of Toledo, Ohio, for the election of directors, will be held at its banking house, Tuesday, January 12, 1892, at 2 p. m. Polls will be closed at 4 o'clock p. m.

CHAS. C. DOOLITTLE, Cashier.
Toledo, O., Dec. 1, 1891.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the MERCHANTS' AND CLERKS' SAVINGS BANK COMPANY, of Toledo, O., for the election of directors and such other business as may be presented, will be held at its office on Tuesday, January 12, 1892, at 2 p. m. Polls close at 3 p. m.

E. L. SCHOMBURG, Secretary.
O. S. Bond, President.
Toledo, O., Dec. 1, 1891.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the MAUMEE ROLLING MILL COMPANY, for the election of directors, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting, will be held at their office in East Toledo, Tuesday January 12, 1892, at 3 p. m.

H. S. YOUNG, Secretary and Treasurer.
Toledo, O., Dec. 1, 1891.

ANNUAL MEETING.

Of the TOLEDO SOLDIERS' MEMORIAL ASSOCIATION will occur on Monday, January 11, 1892, at 4 o'clock p. m., at which meeting five directors will be elected, and such other business transacted as may be presented to the meeting.

H. S. BUNKER, President.
W. W. Algeo, Secretary.
Toledo, O., Dec. 1, 1891.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the TOLEDO AND LAKE ERIE BOATING AND FISHING ASSOCIATION, for the election of three trustees and the transaction of such other business as may be brought before them, will be held at Odeon Hall on Monday, January 11, 1892, at 7:30 p. m.

F. P. ISHERWOOD, Secretary.
Toledo, O., Dec. 1, 1891.

TOLEDO TRANSPORTATION COMPANY.

The annual meeting of the TOLEDO TRANSPORTATION COMPANY will be held at the office of the company, 312 Summit street, Wednesday, January 13, 1892, for the annual election of directors, and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

FRANK M. OHL, Secretary.
Toledo, O., Dec. 1, 1891.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the CRESCENT LIVERY COMPANY for the election of directors and the transaction of any other business that may come before them, will be held at the company's office Monday, January 4, 1892, at 7:30 p. m.

GEO. C. SCHUTT, Secretary.
Toledo, O., Dec. 1, 1891.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

There will be a meeting of the stockholders of the DAUDT GLASS AND CROCKERY COMPANY at their office in Toledo, Ohio, on Monday, January 4, 1892, at 7:30 p. m., for the annual election of directors, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

F. DAUDT, Secretary.
Toledo, O., Dec. 1, 1891.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of THE MAUMEE VALLEY BAKING COMPANY will be held at their office in Toledo, Ohio, on Thursday, January 14, 192, at 7 o'clock p. m. for the annual election of directors and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

WM. FISCHER, Sec'y. and Treas.
Toledo, O., Dec. 10, 1891.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of THE ABNER L. BACKUS & SONS COMPANY will be held at the office of the company, in the city of Toledo, Lucas county, Ohio, on Tuesday, the fifth (5th) day of January, A. D., 1892, between the hours of two (2) and four (4) o'clock p. m., for election of directors and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

D. E. PARSONS, Secretary.
Toledo, O., Dec. 1, 1891.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of THE FINLAY FURNITURE COMPANY, of Toledo, Ohio, will be held at the office of the company, corner of Cedar and Summit streets, Tuesday, January 12, 1892, at 4 o'clock p. m.

M. M. EPPSTEIN, Secretary.
Toledo, O., Dec. 1, 1891.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of THE UNION RAILROAD, ELEVATOR & TRANSPORTATION COMPANY will be held at the office of the company, in the city of Toledo, Lucas county, Ohio, on Monday, the fourth (4th) day of January, A. D., 1892, between the hours of two (2) and four (4) o'clock p. m., for election of directors and the transaction of such other business as may properly come before said meeting.

A. L. BACKUS, President.
Toledo, O., Dec. 1, 1891.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of THE MAUMEE VALLEY BAKING COM

QUAYISM DISCOVERED.

Warmcastle Finds Himself in a Hot Box.

He Has Spent Government Money Too Freely.

The Secret of Jack Robinson's Election by the Republican Clubs is Explained by Congressman Dalzell.

Washington, Dec. 15.—There is a very ardent fight at present going on among Pennsylvania republicans. Early in Harrison's administration a gentleman of the name of Warmcastle, an ardent henchman of Quay, was appointed collector of internal revenue of the Pittsburg (Pa.) district. Warmcastle was appointed as a Quay man, and as a Quay man he has transacted the duties of the office. Some time ago Congressman John Dalzell, the Pennsylvanian who resides at Pittsburg and has the reputation of being perhaps the ablest man from Pennsylvania in the present congress, came on to Washington and demanded Warmcastle's scalp. Dalzell is an anti-Quay man, and has been an active supporter of the Harrison administration. Dalzell told the president squarely that unless Warmcastle was removed—and he preferred charges against him of sufficient import to cause his removal—that he (Dalzell) would become an anti-Harrison republican. The charges filed embraced offenses of partisanship the use of public moneys for private and political purposes and general inefficiency in the discharge of his proper duties. Harrison was evidently impressed by the threat of Dalzell to fight his renomination, but he was not quite willing to take off the official head of Warmcastle without having, as he thought, plenty of provocation. He dispatched a couple of inspectors to Pittsburg to inspect Warmcastle's office.

Among the charges that Dalzell made was that Warmcastle used $5,000 of the public funds to organize republican clubs in Pennsylvania. Last summer there was a very warm contest in Pennsylvania among the republican clubs for the state presidency, Dalzell being the candidate of what is called the reform republicans and Congressman Jack Robinson being Quay's candidate. A poll of the clubs showed that Dalzell had the lead, and then Quay started out to organize new clubs, of course, being organized in Robinson's interest. Under the rule of the clubs in Pennsylvania no club is entitled to representation in the state convention unless it has paid its assessments regularly. It is also necessary that the acceptance of delegates to the convention should be provided for. Collector Warmcastle sent eight or ten gaugers through the state organizing new clubs, and used the money of the United States to pay the assessments in order to entitle the new organizations to representation in the state convention. In this way Warmcastle put out $5,000 of government money. All this was laid before the president by Mr. Dalzell a week or ten days ago.

When, as stated before, the inspectors were sent from Washington to investigate Warmcastle's office, telegrams were sent to Warmcastle by Quay's henchman here in the department at the same time, to warn the collector that the inspectors were going to Pittsburg to investigate him. Warmcastle immediately started out to raise the $5,000 of missing funds and deposited it to the credit of the government in the United States depository at Pittsburg. He worked all day until the inspectors arrived, but was only able to raise something like $2,000, which he deposited promptly to the credit of the government. This was not enough, however, and the inspectors found a shortage of about $3,000. The law declares that collectors of internal revenue must deposit government funds in the regular depository of the United States every day. Warmcastle's receipt book showed that he did not deposit every day. The receipt of the depository showed that $2,000 was deposited on the very day the inspectors got there. This proved conclusively that Dalzell's charges against Warmcastle were sustained and the inspectors so reported to the president; yet still Warmcastle is maintained in office, the president refusing to dismiss him, although Dalzell is daily demanding it.

The understanding is that Warmcastle will be permitted to resign as soon as Quay and Chris Magee can unite on some person agreeable to them to take his place. They have not been able to unite on the man to suit them up to this time, and consequently Dalzell is becoming impatient and this neat little chunk of political depravity and official indecency is made public.

AN IMPORTANT VERDICT

Rendered in the Whitney-Tracy Case—Against the Defendant.

An interesting case has been on trial in the common pleas court the past week, and an important verdict was rendered yesterday afternoon.

The title of the case was J. P. Allison v. Benj. H. Whitney et al., but it was in reality a suit to establish the responsibility of Doria Tracy, who was believed to be a special partner in the Whitney-Tracy Lumber company, when it collapsed.

Doria Tracy, it seems, has loaned $20,000 to the old firm on a mortgage, and when it was reorganized Mr. Tracy handed over the notes held by him ($20,000) as his interest in the concern. This, it was held, made him a general partner, and therefore responsible for the debts of the firm. The Allison suit was for a $1,230 note, and the jury gave him $858.50.

The verdict, if not set aside, it is said, establishes a precedent whereby other creditors may collect claims amounting to $80,000. Mr. Y. H. Tracy, of Bissell & Gorrill, was council for Mr. Allison.

Isaac D. Smead & Co. have had a contract with a Bloomington, Ill., foundry, for the manufacture of all their castings in the past 14 years, and by limitation this contract has just expired. Mr. Smead has annually sent to Bloomington, Ill., from $50,000 to $70,000, that will now remain in Toledo, and be expended here, since his present foundry started about a year ago is now in successful operation, and turning out finer and better goods than he was ever before enabled to secure. Mr. Smead began work upon his foundry some time before his contract with Bloomington, Ill., expired, in order to have it in thorough running order and be ready for the great amount of work which would then be thrown to it. He has not been disappointed, and is now in shape to look after that part of the business. Mr. Smead believes Toledo the best manufacturing and shipping point for cast iron, as well as the only city where coal, iron and lumber are brought together the cheapest. While this contract with Bloomington, Ill., has been a great burden to Mr. Smead ever since his residence in Toledo, it was made in good faith before he came here, and has been carried out in the same manner, being executed to the letter.

Mr. Smead now feels like thanking the Lord that he is relieved therefrom, as it will make a great saving in freight, besides putting the business where he can give his personal care and supervision thereto; the freight alone amounting to at least $1,000 per year. The business of the Bloomington foundry the first year was only $23,000, while that of Smead alone for 1891, will be over a million.

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TEIPEL'S, 337 SUMMIT STREET

DEATH OF DR. TENNEY,

One of Toledo's Old Residents, Last Night.

Dr. James Augustus Tenney died last evening at his daughter's residence, 2129 Monroe street, after an illness of three days. Dr. Tenney was taken with a severe attack Sunday which alarmed the family, and from which, owing to his feeble condition and age, he did not rally. He passed quietly and peacefully away at a few minutes past 7 o'clock last night.

Dr. Tenney has made Toledo his home for the past 20 years, and has been a respected and upright citizen. He was of benevolent tendencies, and has been, what might be termed, a useful man.

Dr. Tenney was born April 28, 1812, and was of New England origin. He came to Toledo from Marietta, and for some time practiced dentistry, after which he became interested and engaged in the baking powder business. For the past two years he has been quite feeble and has mingled with the business world but very little. He was a member of the standing committee of the First Congregational church for some time and was a devoted Christian, possessing an equable temperament. His wife, who is an accomplished lady, and their children, Mrs. A. T. Babbitt and Mr. Will Tenney, survive him, and have the sympathy of their many friends in their bereavement. The funeral will occur tomorrow at 2 o'clock at the residence, 2129 Monroe street.

SOME SPICY CURRENT TOPICS

Of Local and Neighborhood Interest.

Notes and Comments on Incidents Occurring Daily—Prepared for Readers Who are Hustled for Time.

A BIG CELEBRATION.

Brosia Freeman applied in common pleas court to-day for a divorce from her husband, George Freeman. She charges habitual drunkenness and gross neglect. She says that George began to celebrate the night of the wedding, and didn't sober off for two months.

RECTOR SMYTHE TO LEAVE.

Rev. George F. Smythe has written to the vestry of St. Paul's Episcopal church in Mt. Vernon, accepting the rectorship of the parish. Mr. Smythe has been rector of St. Paul's church in East Toledo for some time, and this step will be generally regretted.

DANCE TO-NIGHT.

Last evening the committee on arrangements for the Electric Firemen's dance met and completed the preliminaries for the ball at Druid hall to-night. The boys will see to it that the dance shall be orderly and none to whom there shall be any objection shall be admitted.

THE CATHOLIC CLUB.

The members of the Catholic club will meet in the hall over Whitney & Currier's music store Thursday evening. The committee have secured this hall for this week's meeting, as the rooms in Hubbard block are entirely too small. An attractive program is promised, and a large attendance expected.

SMALL OFFENDERS.

Frank Deiber, Thomas Hayes and Arthur Overmeyer, three small boys, were arraigned in police court this morning charged with stealing money from the money drawer of Jacob Hoffman's saloon. They were found guilty, and after a lecture from the judge were sentenced to 24 hours in the city prison.

WILL MORTGAGE THE CHURCH.

The board of trustees of the Fifth Presbyterian church, consisting of M. C. Smith, F. G. Wallace, H. J. Skinner, A. J. Black, T. W. Lee and C. H. Fralick, filed application in common pleas court to-day to mortgage the church property, located on the corner of Bancroft and Monroe streets, in the sum of $3,000.

DEATH OF MRS. KEELER.

Mrs. Coleman Keeler died in New Mexico last Friday. Mrs. Keeler has been a resident of Maumee for some time, and went to New Mexico but a short time ago, hoping to be benefited by the change. The remains were started on their way back to Maumee last Saturday. Mrs. Keeler has many friends in Toledo, who will learn with sorrow, of her death.

TOOK HIS MONEY.

John Gentner and his wife Ellen were arrested last night by Detectives Nichter, Spore and Carew for robbing John Gaughen of $15. Gaughen lives in the same house as the Gentners at 1023 Summit street. On Friday night he was lying asleep on his bed, and when he awoke the money had been taken from his clothes, and the Gentners are charged with the crime.

SUNDAY SCHOOL CONVENTION.

The Sunday school convention opened at the Monroe Street M. E. church this afternoon, and the program as printed in last evening's Bee will be observed. To-morrow the exercises include papers by Prof. M. H. Davis, Mrs. S. E. G. Keith, E. M. Beard and others, and in the evening Rev. Dr. Bacon will give a descriptive lecture on Palestine. Large attendance of those interested is expected.

AT TRINITY CHURCH.

Services and appointments at Trinity this week will be:

Tuesday, 7:30—Girl's Friendly.

Wednesday, Ember day—Holy communion, 10:00 a. m.; evening prayer and address, 7:30 p. m.

Friday, Ember day—Litany, 5 p. m.; Knights of Temperance, 7:30.

Saturday, Ember day—Morning prayer, 10:00 a. m.

RUBICON'S OFFICIALS.

At the regular annual meeting last night Rubicon lodge, F. and A. M., elected the following officers for the coming year: E. W. Eastell, W. M.; E. C. Danforth, S. W.; Don A. Allen, J. W.; J. J. Barker, treasurer; Jerome H. Russell, secretary; J. Frank Norton, senior deacon; Frank G. M. Jaquet, junior deacon; A. J. Teal, tyler. The sum of $100 was voted to the Masonic Orphans' home. Installation of officers will be public, with a banquet at next regular communication.

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CALLED HOME.

Last Friday morning at 10 o'clock there passed from this life into the unfathomable Beyond, the soul of Mrs. Sylva Lybarger. Only five months a bride and for this brief time a resident of Toledo, she had, by her sweetness of disposition and loveliness of character, won many devoted friends. Her maiden name was Lockhart and her home was near Danville, Ohio, where her parents reside. Mr. Lybarger is agent for the Domestic Sewing Machine company in this city, and the young couple were ideally happy in their life together. The bereaved husband has heartfelt sympathy in his great sorrow. Mrs. Lybarger was fond of flowers to an unusual degree, and in remembrance of this, her casket was covered with these tributes of affection. Only twenty-two years old, of sunny temperament, she was full of anticipation for the life before her. Her brief illness of only two months makes the shock the more sudden and hearts the more unreconciled. Her disease was pronounced quick consumption and from the first development seemed to defy all remedies. Brief services were held yesterday morning at their late residence, 2257 Kent street, and the body was taken to Buckeye City for the funeral and burial.

"There fell upon the house a sudden gloom,
A shadow on the dear face white and thin.
And softly from the hushed and darkened room
Two angels passed where only one went in."

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The People's Savings, Loan and Building company has never paid less than 8 per cent. per annum, compounded semi-annually on its stock deposits, and its 3 to 5 per cent certificates of deposit which are written with interest from one month to one year or more are being largely used by people both in and out of the city.

TWELVE-CLUB LEAGUE.

Such Are the Prospects in Base Ball This Year.

Important Meeting in Indianapolis To-Day.

Regardless of Rumors to the Contrary it Looks as Though the Two Great Organizations Would be Merged Into One.

Indianapolis, Dec. 15.—Indianapolis is full of baseball presidents, managers, directors and lesser lights, and if things move as smoothly as expected it will be empty to-morrow.

This morning President Nick Young, of the League, and President Zach Phelps, of the Association, came, and with their arrival the business began. This morning the directors of the Association met at the club room in the Bates house just after the arrival of President Von Der Horst, of Baltimore.

The early Chicago train brought in President Williams, of the Association club, and 12 of the stockholders of that organization and inaugurated a vigorous campaign against the 12-club plan.

President Williams says that he and his colleagues will fight the scheme to the end. President Ivensen, of Milwaukee, is keeping discreetly silent, as, in fact, nearly all the others as to details.

President Byrne, of Brooklyn, says that the League is a unit on the 12-club plan, and that conferences with Association officers indicate an amicable adjustment of all the difficulties.

Owing to the lateness of the arrival of the trains bringing in the Boston, New York, Baltimore, Washington and Pittsburg delegations, the meetings were postponed until the afternoon.

A more bewildering condition of affairs never existed than that concerning the meetings to be held here.

Columbus is willing to retire and get back her money, and the League people know what the terms of settlement are.

Both sides claim President Vonderhorst, of Baltimore, and as that official has not yet arrived it is not known where he stands.

The formation of the new western circuit forces either Columbus or Louisville out. Some say both and insert Indianapolis. It is said that Brush and Byrne favor the latter city.

FOSTORIA GOSSIP.

A Few Words About Col. Brown—General Mention.

Fostoria, O., Dec. 15.—(Special)—W. C. Brown, of this city, appointed colonel on Gov. McKinley's staff, is one of Fostoria's most prominent business men. He was born at Newark, O., November 20, 1863, of Welsh parentage, and is now 28 years of age. His first position after leaving school was that of city editor of the Findlay Jeff, which position he resigned to accept a place in the banking house of Foster & Co. He occupied this position of responsibility and trust until 1888, when he was tendered that of assistant treasurer of the Isaac Harter Milling company, and two years after was elected treasurer of this concern, which position he still occupies.

Two years ago Mr. Brown went to Europe and established connections for the mill in that country.

Mr. Brown has been a hard worker for the success of this city, and is financially interested in many of the factories. In politics he is a republican and for the past six years has been secretary of the Foster republican club. He was chosen a delegate to the convention which nominated Mr. McKinley.

The Palace hotel was visited by thieves Sunday night, and $26 stolen. No clue.

The new Seneca glass works will be in full blast next week.

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TOLEDO'S FINANCIAL INSTITUTION

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The weekly receipts of the People's Loan company of this city have increased from $684 in 1888, to over $11,000 per week in 1891. Information concerning its methods and management are sought eagerly from many parts of the country because of its excellent results. The People's company is prized highly by its more than three thousand members. It is a solid financial institution and a substantial benefit to the city.

DOES NOT BELONG TO THE UNION.

To the Editor:—Will you please to find space in your paper to inform the public that I am not a member or president of the Brass Workers Union or have I been for three months past.

WILLIAM LINDLEY.

Toledo, Dec. 15.

FANCY RUCHINGS AND LACES | Always an elegant assortment at LASALLE & KOCH'S.

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS AT AUCTION.

On Thursday of this week there will be placed on sale at 611 and 613 Adams streets, Huron block, a very large stock of Japanese wares in Lacquer work, Bronzes and other wares in great variety, which will be put up and sold at auction, thus affording everybody the opportunity of receiving some very desirable Christmas presents at their own price. W. G. Alexander, the well known auctioneer, will conduct the sale.

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STREET CAR COLLISION.

An Accident Which Will Prove Costly for Some One.

Another street railway accident occurred about 1:30 this afternoon by which a wagon was mashed and about $50 worth of crockery and teas destroyed. A light, covered spring wagon of the American Tea company, with a load of crockery, glassware and teas, was just leaving the company's store at the corner of Washington and Tenth streets, when it was struck by Robison belt line car 24, coming down Washington street. The wagon was overturned and badly damaged and the crockery inside was smashed to bits. John Henry, a young man, who was driving, was thrown out and considerably bruised and the horse was thrown down and cut. Eye witnesses of the affair blame the motorman, and say he was not looking ahead, while his car was going very fast.

MEN WHO CAN'T PINCH.

A characteristic distinction between monkey and man is the power possessed by the latter of opposability between the forefinger and thumb. This power is lacking in the Bushman. "Pinch my finger," I said to one of them; "pinch much harder." In vain; the pressure would scarcely have injured a fly. The Bushman possesses many apish characteristics, but it is essentially a man. A miserable dwarfed, decrepit, repulsive man.—Blackwood's.

BUSINESS LOCAL.

AUCTION SALE

Of Japanese Novelties.

Workmen are busily engaged at 611 and 613 Adams street in unpacking a very large invoice of Japanese Curios that will be disposed of at auction. This is a very large importation consisting of fine decorated China, Satsuma, Kaga, Shippo, Clobsone, Yakishima, Tokio, Kioto and Negayo wares, also a fine selection of silk embroideries. The sale opens Thursday morning. Be on hand early for the bargains.

W. G. ALEXANDER, Auctioneer.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

Toledo's paved streets are out of sight.

The Christian Alliance meets to-morrow evening at 1549 Indiana avenue. All are invited.

"Wanted—Business Women" is the title of the paper Mrs. A. E. Lang reads before the Colloquial club next Friday afternoon.

The trolleys on two electric cars broke this morning, throwing the cars on the Belt line off time for a while.

Marriage licenses were issued to-day to Barney Cutcher and Lizzie Shorlaw, Wilhelm F. Hoch and Mina Zuhlsdorf, William P. Phillips and Annie Clawson.

Charles R. Klauser was appointed as deputy in the probate office to-day. Mr. Klauser is a sober, industrious young man, and will fill the position with credit to himself and the county.

A lecture will be given in Y. M. C. A. hall to-night by Dr. L. B. Sperry, of Bellevue, O., upon the subject "Life—the Long and the Short of It." He is considered to be one of the best attractions of the "Association Course" so-called this season. The admission to members with the privilege of bringing one friend is free by showing membership ticket at door. All others will be charged a fee of 25 cents.

AMONG THE PEOPLE.

Jottings of Personal Mention About the City,

Gleaned by Members of the Bee Staff—Socials and Small Parties at Different Homes.

Mr. Sam Chamberlain is very ill.

D. G. Robertson is out of the city.

Miss Mae Russell is ill with la grippe.

Mr. Murray C. Moore will spend Christmas in Toledo.

Miss Mattie Aubry, of Detroit, is visiting in the city.

Edward N. Moore is recovering from his recent sick spell.

Miss Cora Peck will spend the holidays in Pittsburg, Pa.

Miss Lucy Collins will spend the holidays out of the city.

Fort Meig's Chapter, R. A. M., elects officers this evening.

Mrs. Nellie Howard will go to Detroit to spend the holidays.

Mr. L. P. Fisher will return from his western trip to-night.

Mrs. John Berdan will be among the entertainers this week.

John Gunckel returned from a business trip to Cincinnati last night.

Miss Bessie Osterman will spend several days of next week in Toledo.

Miss Carrie Jewett will assist W. E. Cawood during the holidays.

Miss Smith, of Norwalk, sang at the Singer song recital last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Delamater, of Pittsburg, will make Toledo friends a visit.

Mr. Newton, of Newton & Kinney, will leave to-morrow for an extended eastern trip.

Mr. A. F. Colton has leased one of Dr. Wagar's new brick dwellings on Madison street.

Miss Lucy Hubbard will be one of the assistants at Neel & Fuller's during the holidays.

Jno. W. Braddock, of Newark, O., and E. W. Alexander, of Detroit, are at the Hamilton.

One of the prettiest teas of the season was given by Miss Daisy Howells last evening for Miss Benedict.

Mrs. Will Standart gave an exceedingly enjoyable card party yesterday afternoon for a number of her lady friends.

Miss Thompson of Detroit, who has made many friends during her visit in Toledo, will leave for her home to-morrow.

Mrs. R. Wertheim will discontinue housekeeping and reside with her mother, Mrs. N. D. Osterman, of Thirteenth street.

Mr. and Mrs. William J. Martwick arrived in this city from Chicago last Friday and will be at home after January 22 at 817 Huron street.

Miss Camilla Fisk will give a reception next Tuesday. After the holidays Miss Fisk will go to Ann Arbor, where she will remain for some time.

The comptroller of the currency yesterday designated as reserve agent for the Ketcham National bank of Toledo the Third National bank of Boston.

C. H. Myers of New York, W. E. Evans of Pittsburg, A. B. Stetson of Bucyrus and A. W. Gordon of Findlay, O., are registered at the Boody.

W. W. Griffith, formerly president of Merchants' National bank, is reported as being dangerously ill at Riverside, Cal. Mrs. Griffith left for Riverside to-day.

Miss Nellie Potter, of Chicago, and her cousin, Miss Grace Brooks, are visiting Toledo friends and will also attend the young people's pleasure party to-morrow evening.

The F. U. N. club met last night and had a gay time. Music and dancing was indulged in, after which light refreshments were served. This is a very mysterious club.

As stated in the Bee a few days since, the young ladies who participated in the cadet drill at the Y's entertainment have organized themselves into a permanent company, and Ed Pixley will continue to act as drill master. A reception with a drill is promised during the winter season.

Miss Grace Beatty was happily surprised last evening by a few friends at her home on Lower Huron street on the occasion of attaining her eighteenth anniversary. Games of various sort were indulged in, and light refreshments partaken of. Several pretty souvenirs were left behind.

Mr. J. Clark, whose home is in the far west, was in the city a short time Saturday, en route for New York, to sail for Europe, where his wife and daughter have been for some time. He was accompanied to Detroit by his sisters, Mrs. Judge Rouse and Mrs. Daniels, and his brother, Mr. A. G. Clark.

The Elks met last evening in special session to arrange for the funeral of the late Col. Billingslea. Messrs. J. R. Miller, B. F. Ritchie and George A. Heiul were named as the committee to take charge, and the following Elks will serve as pall-bearers: August Machen, J. C. Huber, M. C. Sullivan, F. E. Wright, John A. McLaughlin, John Cavanaugh, George P. Alter and Charles Stager.

Mr. Elvin Singer, assisted by a number of his pupils, and Miss Nellie Cook, gave a number of their friends the pleasure of listening to a delightful song recital last evening at Mr. Singer's studio. Mr. Singer favored the company with several songs, beside singing the tenor in the quartette from the "Bohemian Girl," with Miss Mary Chase, Miss Gasser and Mr. Wuerful. Miss Nellie Cook gave several instrumental selections in her usual charming manner. The pupils did well, many of their voices showing marked improvement within a short time. Mr. Singer will give another recital in January.

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COL. BILLINGSLEA'S FUNERAL.

The funeral services of the late Col. A. M. F. Billingslea will be held at 8 o'clock a. m. Wednesday, the 16th, at St. Francis De Sales church, corner Cherry and Superior streets, thence to Calvary cemetery. Friends invited.

DIED.

HARTZ—At 8:45 p. m., Dec. 14th, 1891, Ella, wife of Charles C. Hartz, aged 29 years, 5 months.

Funeral Thursday, Dec. 17th, at 2:30 p. m. from the residence, 614 Mulberry street. Friends of the family invited. 15dec2p

DIED.

BAYERLINE—Henry Bayerline, at his late residence, 611 Western avenue, aged 53 years, 5 months and 11 days.

Funeral from Calvary church, Western avenue, Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Friends of the family invited. p

SUICIDE.

A Dose of Carbolic Acid Ends a Woman's Life.

Mrs. Nellie Glass, Insane and Despondent, Thus Ends a Miserable Existence.

A woman named Mrs. Nellie Glass, living at 1115 Fifteenth street, committed suicide this morning by taking carbolic acid. Mrs. Glass has been sickly for several years, and for the past year has been insane. This morning about 6 o'clock she obtained a bottle of carbolic acid, which her husband had for use about his horses, and taking a dose of it died about 6:40, thus ending her despondency. When her act had been discovered Dr. Collamore was summoned and did everything possible to save her, but to no avail.

Coroner Roulet viewed the body and rendered a verdict in accordance with the above facts.

The unfortunate woman was 29 years old and lived with her husband, Thomas Glass, who is a teamster, at the address given above.

IN THE SENATE TO-DAY.

A Large Number of Bills on General Subjects Introduced.

Washington, Dec. 15.—In the senate to-day the report of the geodetic survey was presented.

The vice president appointed Senator Morrill regent of the Smithsonian Institute to fill a vacancy.

Mr. Proctor introduced two bills to increase the efficiency of the army and to regulate promotions.

Mr. Cullom introduced bills to amend the inter-state commerce law and to provide for the adoption of some kind of automatic car coupler for freight trains.

Mr. Hoar spoke of the necessity of congressional action on this matter.

Mr. Quay offered a resolution for an inquiry as to the feasibility of purchasing the states of Sonora, Chihuahua and Coahuila, Mexico.

After a large number of other bills had been introduced the senate adjourned till to-morrow.

OHIO IS RIGHT IN IT.

Friends of the Congressmen Who Want to Be Taken Care of.

Washington, Dec. 15.—(Special)—The wild scramble for positions still continues. Everything seems to be in a state of uncertainty, except the office of sergeant-at-arms.

Hare, of Upper Sandusky, is confident of securing the appointment of George Foster.

Donovan will find a berth for Bob Betts, of Archibold.

Layton is confident of at least one appointment.

Congressman Haynes will undoubtedly land a Mr. Conklin, of Fremont, and retain Mickey Shay as page.

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Ginghams—Amoskeag checks, 7c; Amoskeag teazel cloth, 10 1-2c; Amoskeag A F C 10 1-2c; Criterion cloth, 10 1-2c; Everett classics, 18 2-2c; Lancaster, 7c; Normandie, 8c; Renfrew dress, 8 1-2c; Renfrew novelties, 10 1-2c.

Cambrics—Kid cambrics, 3 3-4c; XXXX sellsias, 12 1-2c; XXX sellsias, 10c; XX sellsias, 8c; Conestoga sateens, 6 1-2c; Victoria sateens, 7 1-2c.

Brown Sheetings—Great Falls E, 7c; Piedmont, 6 1-2c; De Witt W W, 6c; North Star L L, 5 3-4c; Norwood XX, 5 3-4c; Lawrence L L, 5 1-4c; Indian Queen, 5 1-4c; Diamond R, 5 1-4c; Household L L, 5 1-2c; Windsor H, 4 3-4c; Henderson A, 5 1-2c; Henderson C, 4 1-2c; Elberon L L, 5 1-4c; Constitution, 4-4, 6 3-4c; Constitution, 9-8, 7 1-2c; Lawrence 9-8, 6 1-2c; Dwight Star, 7c; Atlas O N R, 7c; Cambria, 6c; Good Value, 6c; New Market B, 5c; Scotia O M, 5c; Great Falls, N, 4 3-4c; Household G G, 5 1-2c; Niobe R, 5 1-2c; Grafton A, 4c; Burlington A, 4c; National, 3 1-4c; Wassue, 3 3-4c; Tennis, 4c; Boston 9-4, 20c; Boston 10-4, 22 1-2c; Columbian Tower sheetings, 20c.

Bleached Sheetings—Sunlight, 4c; Middlesex B B, 5c; Oak View, 5c; Harvest E 6 1-2c; Golden Rod, 7c; Senator, 7 1-4c; Pennant, 7 1-2d; Fearless, 7c; Fearless, half bleached, 7c; Lawrence, 7c; Rosalind, 7 3-4c; Fauntleroy, 8 1-4c; Lonsdale, 8 1-4c; Fruit 4-4, 8 1-2c; Silver Queen, 8 3-4c; Ellerslie Cambric, 8 3-4c; Lonsdale Cambric, 10c; Boston 9-4, 22 1-2c; Boston 10-4, 25c; Newmarket, 42 inch, 10c; Newmarket, 45 inch, 11c; Pepperell 6-4, 15c.

Shirtings—Household checks, 8c; Coronet checks, 7 1-2c; Sibley, 7 3-4c; Alabama, 6 3-4c; Eagle, 6 1-2c; Southern, 4 1-2@5 1-4c.

Denims—Andover, blue and brown, 12c; York, blue and brown, 12c; Everett, blue and brown, 12 1-2c; Everett, 8 ounces, 15c; Arizona, blue and brown, 10c; Mystic fancies, 12c; York fancies, 12 1-2c.

Ticklings—Amoskeag A C A, 12 1-2c; Falls 32, 12 1-2c; White Horse B, 15c; White Horse 10, 6c; White Horse 30, 8c; White Horse 40, 10c; White Horse 50, 8c; White Horse 60, 9c; White Horse H C, 15c; Lewiston 30, plaid, 11 1-2c; Lewiston 30, stripe, 11 1-4c; Zephyrs, 17c; Royal, 6 3-4c.

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Why aren't we sending corn to the starving Mexicans? Men, women and children are dying for lack of food, while corn is a dollar a quart, eggs a dollar and a half a dozen and other things in proportion. Shame upon us if out of our overflowing plenty we have nothing to divide with our next door neighbor in this hour of her direst extremity.

The man who cheats his wash-woman, and who forgets to pay his newspaper subscription are two very mean spirited individuals. It is a harmful report that is being circulated about ex-Senator Ingalls, that an unhappy country editor is dunning him unsuccessfully, for sixteen years' unpaid subscription. It is suggested that honesty in the every-day deportment of life is also an "iridescent dream" in Mr. Ingalls vocabulary.

It is recalled that the first work of Speaker Reed's congress was to unseat nine democrats who came to the House with proper certificates of election and put republicans in their places. With the majority thus fixed and the speaker's ukase that members absent or present could be counted, they did a rushing business with shovel in hand and the treasury doors open. Mr. Outhwaite of Ohio was the gentleman that had the distinction of being "counted" when he was absent and out of reach in toto. It is well to refresh our minds on modern historic facts occasionally.

If the requirements of the law are fulfilled, there need be no speculation as to the statistics on tin plates. Sworn statements of the amounts produced must be furnished the department in Washington by manufacturers, that conditions may be determined when, under the new law, tin and terne plates may enter free of duty. These returns are to be made quarterly and if the government agents are honestly anxious that the people should keep track of this highly protected industry they are all paying tax to establish, these figures will be presented fairly to them and in shape for inspection at all times.

What magnificent abundance is ours in this blessed year of our Lord. The famine districts of Russia call to us for food; all Europe opens its ports to our cereals. Mexico is famishing for what we store away in overburdened garners. Happy States of America!

Just over the border, across the fertile fields of Indiana come moans and cries. Twenty thousand men, women and children, the coal strikers and their families, are in dire straits from hunger and destitution and must have immediate relief. What is wrong in this heaven-favored, "labor protected" land of liberty and equal rights?

The Farmers Alliance, so far as its efforts to "corner" wheat and cotton are concerned to get even with the government for discrimination against their interests does not exhibit the spirit of true reform, but a simple desire for retaliation. If the government under republican administration for the last quarter of a century, has swindled the farmers, then let them demand reparation and emphasize their demand by declaring against a continuance of the robber methods. If the farmers have been insincere in their denunciations of trusts and corners, then their attempt to follow the example is not surprising. Otherwise it is quite incomprehensible.

Provincial New York would do credit to itself by less assumption that its peculiar form of political association known as "Tammany," leads or in any controls the democrat party, outside of its narrow New York limit. There are more men and things in the West than these seaboard savants dream of. Let them put on their spectacles and read some of the breezy newspapers that take on form and life beyond their close horizon, and then give over such promulgations as the following:

"There is something grotesque in the attitude of a national party under the lead of a local organization. Tammany has not made so marked a success of municipal government as would warrant a national party in submitting to its guidance."

One hundred and fifty delegates from the United States and Canada are in attendance at the annual convention of the Federation of Labor, in Birmingham, Ala. These delegates represent more than 750,000 organized laborers. During the year ending October 31, 1891, 246 charters have been issued to unions in thirty states. Ohio is the banner state, leading with 55 of the number, New York second with 28, Indiana 26, Michigan 21, Illinois 18, Pennsylvania 16, and so on down. The most noteworthy feature of the report, perhaps, is the statement of expenditures. The organization has hundreds of branches and a membership of three-quarters of a million and the report for expenses is the small sum of $4,000. The Federation of all organized societies stands alone in such unique distinction.

The plan for University Extension in Toledo took tangible shape at the committee meeting in Superintendent Compton's office in the High school building last evening, the proceedings of which are noted elsewhere in to-day's paper. The courses of study which will be the most popular and appeal to the greatest number will be considered by the executive committee and the important matter of ways and means be discussed for later report. Toledo cannot afford to be behind in this educational movement. It has taken the lead in a Manual Training annex to the public school course, and is distinguished accordingly. The Bee expects to see an interest awakened that shall bring to the city the best lecturers and teachers the country affords. While the committee named needs no advisers as to courses of study, it might be suggested that history, literature and political economy are among the popular and necessary studies on the program. Whatever is of greatest practical, everyday benefit should stand first among selections. The drawback to many who would become enthusiasts in the work is lack of time. The temptation to the student is to include all supplementary readings, an impossibility for busy persons. But we may grasp the good that is within reach and drink sufficiently deep of the Pierian spring to be beyond the reach of the "danger" warned of by the poet-philosopher.

ITS ECHOES ARE LOUD.

The Senatorial Canvass Growing Mighty Interesting.

Fostoria, O., Dec. 15.—The Cincinnati Commercial-Gazette stated in a special from Columbus that George P. Waldorf, of Toledo, and W. C. Brown, of this city, who has lately been appointed on Governor McKinley's staff, had attempted to influence unduly Senator McConica to vote for Mr. Sherman by promising him a nomination for Congress.

In an interview in the Fostoria Daily Times Mr. Brown brands the story as an unmitigated falsehood. When asked how he supposed the story originated Mr. Brown said:

"I think I can tell you. A dispatch appared in the Cincinnati Enquirer purporting to come from Findlay, the substance of which was the same as the article appearing in the Commercial to which you called my attention. I saw Mr. McConica a few days ago and asked him where the reporter got such information.

"He replied that he had also seen the dispatch in the Enquirer, and had promptly called on the reporter, whom he knew, asking him where he got such information. The reporter replied that he never sent the special to his paper as it appeared; that the statement that Sherman men had offered Mr. McConica a congressional nomination, patronage, etc., was added to the telegram after it reached the Enquirer office in Cincinnati.

"The Foraker correspondent at Columbus, I suppose, rehashed the Enquirer telegram and sent it as his own."

Mr. Brown further stated that notwithstanding reports to the contrary Senator McConica had not yet announced whether his vote will be cast for Sherman or Foraker.

After Griffin's Scalp.

Hon. C. P. Griffin, of Lucas, is candidate for speaker of the house of representatives. Wood county owes Mr. Griffin nothing. He was the originator and champion through the house last winter, of the infamous pipe-line exemption law, which beats Wood county out of thousands of dollars of taxes—unjustly. Hancock, Seneca, Sandusky, Putnam, Mercer, Fairfield, Auglaize, Montgomery, and other counties are wronged by this same bill; and Mr. Griffin should receive the prompt and unequivocal attention of representatives of these counties, to show him the estimation in which promoters of such schemes are held by the taxpayers.—Bowling Green Sentinel.

Place for the President's Pity.

"I pity that man who wants a coat so cheap that the man or woman who produces the cloth or shapes it into a garment will starve in the process."—President Harrison. The president's pity would better be bestowed upon the man who is compelled to wear so cheap a coat by the law which prevents him from buying a better one, by depriving him of the foreign market and giving the home manufacturer the monopoly.—Atlanta Journal.

This Isn't Their Year.

For a party with a slender majority of six in the United States senate to talk of "barring out" Brice, or Hill, or any other democratic senator, would be mere nonsense; and so all the rumors to that effect may be dismissed as the coinage of imaginative correspondents upon whose hands time hangs heavily. This isn't the republican managers' year to "bar out" anything. They are lucky to be politically alive, and need poultices, rather than locks or bolts.—Philadelphia Record.

Western Amenities.

A cut of the North Dakota world's fair building has found its way into the press and should be a warning to Montana not to attempt a ten-dollar splurge on a five-cent appropriation. The North Dakota structure looks like a cross between a claim shack and a rural hothouse with a hennery and a mechanic's lien for decorations.—Butte City Miner.

We Are All Glad to Know It.

Potter Palmer has declared, in an interview, that "Chicago does not want the earth." If Mr. Palmer is authorized to speak for Chicago the utterance will give the balance of the people outside that city great gratification.—Peoria Transcript.

They Begin to Understand.

The number of abandoned farms in Massachusetts is announced as well up toward a thousand, 887 being the exact figures. It looks as if this was pretty good corroborative evidence for Governor Russell. But the people settled that matter about a month ago.—Boston Herald.

Morton Should Support It.

A bill was introduced into the senate Thursday providing for the establishment of a hospital and asylum for drunkards in the District of Columbia. It should have the hearty support of Levi P. Morton, proprietor of the Shoreham saloon.—Chicago Times.

Nor Ben Butterworth.

Uncle Dana has a finger for every pie. He is done with the speakership for the present, and now he is writing long and anklometic editorials on "Who Will Be the Next Pope?" Well, it won't be Ben Butler, anyhow.—St. Louis Republic.

Took Their Wind Away.

The little speech of acceptance made by Speaker Crisp to the democratic caucus has taken the wind completely out of the expectations of the protection gang which assumed the responsibility of his candidacy.—Nashville American.

Cincinnati Accustomed to Shocks.

Cincinnati had a slight earthquake shock the other day, but as Cincinnati has Foraker seven days in the week, not much attention was paid to the disturbance.—Washington Post.

Philadelphia Peanuts.

This city is said to be the great peanut market of the country. There is also an impression that it deals considerably at times in politics of that character.—Philadelphia Times.

The Tariff Needs of the Maple Tree.

Vermonters expect to receive $100,000 in government bounty for maple sugar next year. We must encourage the maple tree or it will stop growing.—Indianapolis Sentinel.

Reason Enough.

Gov. Hill deserves all the abuse the republicans are heaping on him. He is a democrat and in good health.—Atlanta Constitution.

WISDOM OF THE BUCKEYES.

Mr. Harrison is very fond of reciprocity now. But it is the second love of a widower.—Massilonian.

The unseating of Brice was a pretty little net that the Foraker spiders set for the Shermanites, but the latter were altogether too "fly" to walk into it.—Portsmouth Times.

The only speaker of the house who ever became president was James K. Polk. Mr. Crisp need not take this to heart, however; this is a record-breaking age and generation.—Home Weekly.

Vice President Morton wore a red necktie at the opening of the senate. This is the first time that Morton has struck the public eye since he started the Shoreham saloon.—Zanesville Signal.

The trouble with so much of the alleged argument on the senatorial question is that it proves too much. Let any man who is not carried away with enthusiasm take it up and analyze it and see where it leads.—Urbana Citizen.

Harrison's friends look upon Sherman as a more dangerous rival of the grandson than Blaine. If the senatorship doesn't cost him too much, Honest John will not allow Alger to buy up the southern negro delegates the next time.—Steubenville Gazette.

The old fable of the father who showed his sons how to break the bundle of twigs by breaking them one by one, may serve as an illustration of the best method of breaking the bound-up iniquities of the McKinley tariff. They are as weak individually as they are strong collectively.—Manufacturers' Shield.

Go to, Mr. Harrison, go to; your cant and hypocrisy in this matter are too transparent. As to gerrymandering, there is not a northern state where the republican party holds or has held power but it has exhausted all the devices of the state-stealing art, trampling on constitutions, decency and fair play in doing so.—Newark Advocate.

There is a halt in the movement against Senator Brice's seat. The republican state central committee was to have met last Saturday night to agree on an address to the United States senate, but it did not meet. The halt is probably called as the consequence of advice from leading republicans outside of the state to this effect: "Don't make asses of yourselves."—Kent News.

MENTIONED ON THE STREETS.

That Collector Waldorf is no spring chicken in politics.

That Toledo's banking institutions are in a most prosperous condition.

That navigation has not closed in Toledo so far as streets are concerned.

That railroad time-cards will soon undergo the winter season change.

That people burning gas through meters are rejoicing at the open weather.

That Griffin will withdraw from the senatorial race in favor of McGrew.

That muddy weather has no terror for people in search of Christmas presents.

That the senatorial scrap is proving a bonanza for the newspaper correspondents.

That fur will fly from this time on in the senatorial squabble in the republican party.

That President Squire will be a candidate for congress in the new Toledo republican district.

That Fort Meigs chapter, Royal Arch Masons, will have a change in officials at the election to-night.

That the Foraker followers propose to do the brass band act with a vengeance at Columbus next month.

That the workhouse is doing a rushing business with the towns tributary to Toledo; yet there is room.

That a great crowd from Toledo and northwestern Ohio will attend the inauguration ceremonies in January.

That the Sherman men hereabouts are rejoicing over the appointment of Joe Bonner on Governor McKinley's staff.

That Toledo Blaine men are talking of supporting Cullom rather than Harrison, should their idol decline a nomination.

That it is one of the wonders to enjoy a base ball game in the middle of December, as was the case in Toledo on Sunday.

That now is a good time to figure on a fire-boat, along with the other contemplated improvements in the fire department.

That the democrats are enjoying the "friendly contest" in which the republicans are now engaged. Let the good work go on.

That the coming general assembly will rip up the judicial districts of the state and legislate as many democrats out of office as possible.

That the Toledo Art academy, under the direction of Prof. Osthaus, is well to the front, and has a large class of pupils days and evenings.

That the street railroad managers do not care how long the damp weather and mud remains, as it adds greatly to the receipts on all lines.

That it would be a good scheme for Col. Haynes to secure the passage of a bill increasing the government building and grounds in this city.

That the Kinnan brothers, on their walking expedition down Madison street every morning distance all pedestrians, with several steps to spare.

That the democrats will be lucky if they get five congressmen out of the twenty-one, after the republicans get through with the gerrymander.

That headquarters for the local military companies and Toledo cadets have been established in the Fourteenth regiment's armory for inauguration day.

That there are more original comedians among the members of the Ohio Yacht club than any other similar organization in the country. It is not necessary to invite any outsider to make a show.

Transmigration of the Sparrows.

Simultaneously with the going into effect of the Indiana law for the extermination of the English sparrow have appeared on Chicago bills of fare an endless variety of dishes of "reed-birds;" reed-birds fried, stewed, broiled, grilled, on and off toast, in the soup and out of it, stuffed, roasted and baked, for breakfast, dinner and supper, luncheon and dessert. Who says the English sparrow is better dead than alive?—Lebanon Report.

The East Has Lost Its Grip.

The westward course of empire is called to mind by the statement of the Third Avenue Railroad company that the new cable cars which we are to get next summer are being built in St. Louis. If the east wishes to retain its standing in manufactures it must meet the competition of cheap raw material and of cheap homes for the workingman.—New York World.

ABOUT PEOPLE.

Thomas F. Bayard and James Hodges have declined to go to Europe for the world's fair.

Dom Rafael Nunez, who has just been re-elected president of Columbia, is 66 years of age, and has been prominent in public affairs for many years.

Mrs. Taylor, of Little Washington, Pa., is known as the oil queen, because she has accumulated a fortune of $3,000,000 by personal investments in the Ritchie county fields.

Among the students at Harvard who are taking Prof. Norton's course in fine arts is James Gilmore, of Cincinnati. He is 77 years of age and a Yale graduate, class of 1834.

Mrs. Abba Goold Woolson, president of the Castilian club, and lecturer on Spanish history and literature, has sailed from Boston for Spain to spend a year in study and travel.

Timothy B. Blackstone, president of the Chicago & Alton railroad, is said to be the only railroad president in the country who owns a majority of the stock in the road he manages.

A. D. Carman, who died in Bordentown, N. J., recently, in his 84th year, was, during his boyhood, in the employment of Joseph Napoleon Bonaparte, at that time a resident of New Jersey.

SENSE AND NONSENSE.

As no roads are so rough as those that have just been mended, so no sinners are so intolerant as those who have just turned saints.—Texas Siftings.

Mr. Gotham—"Here, sir, is some whisky which I have had in my cellar for 20 years." Col. Kaintuck—"Well? well! How did it get lost?"—New York Weekly.

First Gentleman—"Excuse me, sir, but I notice that you are looking at me closely. Is there anything about me that is familiar?" Second Gentleman—"Yes, there is—my umbrella.—Ex.

The time for taking cold is after exercise; the place is in your own house, or office, or counting house. It is not the act of exercise which gives the cold, but it is the getting cool too quickly after exercising.—Medical Sense.

"Married flirts," of which so much is heard in these days, should remember what the poet Willis said of them. "Flirtation," said he, "is a circulating library. In which we seldom ask twice for the same volume."—Boston Gazette.

It is said to have cost the Englishman who bought ten buffaloes from "Buffalo Jones" of Kansas, $25,000 to purchase and get them across the Atlantic. They were bred in Manitoba. Their new home is the park of Hagerston castle in Northumberland.

Mrs. Reider—"I see the man who has been exchange editor of the Daily Night for 20 years is dead." Mr. Reider—"My! my! I'm sorry to hear that. Now they'll put some young fellow in his place, and they'll be printing all the old jokes over again."—Good News.

She—"I could have married either Whipper or Snapper if I'd wanted to, and both of those men whom I refused have since got rich, while you are still as poor as a church mouse." He—"Of course, I've been supporting you all these years. They haven't."—Good News.

WISE MEN'S SAYINGS.

To be generous, guiltless and of free disposition, is to take those things for bird bolts that you deem cannon bullets.—Shakspeare.

There is no harm in being respected in this world, as I have found out; and if you don't brag of it for yourself, depend on it there is no person of your acquaintance who will tell the world of your merits and take the trouble off your hands.—Thackeray.

Rest remaineth for us a little way farther on. Heaven will not be an idle holiday, or an everlasting concert of sacred song. There will be no lack of employment there. Instead of a holy longing place heaven will be a scene of such constant, pure, inspiring, blissful and unwearing activity that the word of God describes it not as a perfect rest. Not an aching heart, or a tear-stained eye, or a tired foot forever and evermore.—Rev. Theo. L. Cuyler, D. D.

We are to develop here in America a type of national character, we believe, for which the world is to be richer always. It may be the last great experiment of God's warning of humanity here upon the earth. We have a right to stand guard over the conditions of that experiment, over the development of the training of that peculiar and richer life, letting nothing interfere with it, drawing into it the richness which is to come by the entrance of many men from many regions of the earth. I believe that it is to be perfected, not by any narrow writing upon itself, but as a great amalgam of all that is rich in all the peoples and that is precious in all the lands.—Bishop Phillip Brooks.

REFUNDING THE MONEY

Advanced to Build Gas Lines—Gas Trustees Meet.

The natural gas trustees, at the regular semi-weekly meeting last evening transacted considerable routine business. Kerlin Bros. asked for the final estimate on work long since completed, amounting to $56,000. Referred to manager.

In reply to the board's request Kerlin Bros. presented a proposition to lay from one to six miles of connecting lines in the field. Referred to committee on territory.

Parks, Foster & Co. asked for their share of specified receipts from districts 3 and 7. Referred.

McMahon & Co. submitted proposition for the construction of certain lines in the gas fields. Referred to committee on territory.

Final estimates of contracts completed by Graff Acklin to about $1,000 were referred.

Secretary Brown announced receipts amounting to $5,931 since last meeting.

It was reported that Ferguson, the barber, had used gas for which he refused to pay. It appears the gas was supplied through a line which supplies Sam T. Fisk. It was decided to cut off the gas and charge him $6 per month for the gas used.

Claims amounting to $1,711, money advanced on lines not laid, were ordered paid and the certificates cancelled. The matter of returning money thus advanced is about finished.

The final estimate on R. W. Smith's Bush street contract for $3,628, was ordered approved when cost of regulator furnished, $650, had been deducted.

Dr. Jones presented, from his committee, claims amounting to $247, and the same were ordered paid.

Mr. Macomber asked that the line on Stocking avenue, for which the money had been advanced, be laid. Money advanced, $45; estimated cost, $75; annual income, $95. It was agreed to build it when all the money had been advanced.

Mr. Backus presented a written report on the German Express gas question, wherein he stated that he did not charge Dr. Jones with turning on the gas, but simply read the report on the matter presented by Mr. O'Herron. The question of veracity lay between Dr. Jones and Mr. O'Herron. Placed on file.

A GIGANTIC DEAL.

The Business of Three Companies Insured in Another.

New York, Dec. 15.—Philander B. Armstrong gave a dinner to 70 insurance men last evening to celebrate a surprise he had for them, which was that he had reinsured the business of the Mutual Fire Insurance company, the Fire Association and the Armstrong Fire Insurance company, of which he was the head in the Lancashire Insurance company of Manchester, England, a few hours before.

In the speech in which Mr. Armstrong told of the transaction, he said that "it was the largest transaction in the American history of fire underwriting, the business of the three companies aggregating $200,000,000."

"The reserve, amounting to about $1,000,000," he added, "had been paid in cash to the Lancashire."

PEACE IN BRAZIL.

The Panic on the Bourse Has Subsided—Apologies to Chili.

Rio Janerio, Dec. 15.—The panic on the bourse is at an end and confidence has been restored. The troubles over the Leopoldina railroad have also been terminated successfully.

Apologies have been tendered by the new government to Chilian Minister Kupper because he happened to be assaulted by footpads.

The police at Cardoza grossly insulted two Spaniards and an Italian. Reparation has been demanded by the respective consuls of the victims.

A CORRECT PAINTING

Of S. C. Reynold's Steam Yacht Sigma.

Exhibited in the display window of Brereton's art store on the corner of Superior and Adams streets is a very correct water color sketch of the steam yacht "Sigma," owned by Col. S. C. Reynolds. The painting, a morning scene, is from nature, and shows the craft at anchor. It is encased in a beautiful and costly frame.

The painting is a production of Max Reder, a graduate from the Academy of Fine Arts of Munich, Bavaria, and is his first effort in Toledo.

LAYLIN IS CONFIDENT.

He Says He Will Be Made Speaker On the Second Ballot.

Norwalk, O., Dec. 15.—A correspondent had an interview with Hon. L. C. Laylin in regard to the speakership. He said that from what he knew his chances for being elected had increased within the last week or two. While before that they were as good as any one could expect, now they were excellent. He confidently expects to secure the prize without any prolonged struggle—say on the second ballot.

TWO BROTHERS DIE.

Chicago, Dec. 15.—John and Henry Fitzsimmons, brothers, who recently arrived from Buffalo in search of work, were found dead in bed at their boarding house, 86 Townsend street, this morning and their room was full of gas.

An examination of the gas jet showed that it was turned on full and that on retiring last night one of the brothers had hung his trousers on the jet and in doing so had probably turned on the gas, as the valve was very easily turned.

ANTI-TRUST LAW.

Concord, N. H., Dec. 15.—A test case is to be brought against the American Bobbin Spool and Shuttle company by ex-Congressman Moore of Nashua, N. H., who will ask the grand jury of the United States circuit court to grant indictments against the officers of the combination for the violation of the anti-trust law. The company is capitalized for $2,000,000 and was organized last January.

SHOT BY AN OFFICER.

Springfield, Mo., Dec. 15.—Policeman Wm. Brown shot and instantly killed Dan Vaughan, a negro desperado, while the latter was resisting arrest this morning. The officer arrested the negro for burglarizing. He attempted to escape while on the way to the jail.

QUAY HAS HAD ENOUGH.

New York, Dec. 15.—A special to the Sun from Pittsburg says Senator Quay told four newspaper men, in an interview last night, that he was not a candidate for re-election.

STORM IN COLORADO.

Pueblo, Col., Dec. 15.—A fierce storm is raging here and throughout most of Colorado and part of New Mexico. Cattle in Montana are reported dying from cold and starvation. The blizzard has blown down two houses in this city.

CONTINUES TO IMPROVE.

Youngstown, O., Dec. 15.—John A. Logan, jr., continues to improve. It is believed the critical point has passed and Dr. Ritchie left for Washington last night.

ATTACHED FOR DEBT.

Rochester, N. H., Dec. 15.—L. Levy & Co.'s dry goods store has been attached by New York parties. The liabilities of the firm are $15,000, and assets about $8,000.

MCKINLEY IS BETTER.

Canton, O., Dec. 15.—Gov-elect McKinley continues to improve, but will not be able to attend to any business for a week.

The Paragraph "Simply Shows."

The editor of The Youngstown Telegram is a brother of E. J. Halford, private secretary to President Harrison.—Toledo Blade.

The substance of the above paragraph has been several times printed by state papers supporting Foraker for senator to show why The Telegram is for Sherman. Mr. Halford has not been connected with this paper for several months, and the paragraph simply shows to what straits the Foraker papers are reduced. The Telegram supports Mr. Sherman because he is the best man for the place, and because he is the choice of nineteen out of every twenty republicans in northeastern Ohio, if not in the entire state.—Youngstown Telegram.

Mishaps Never Come Singly.

A cold winter and a long session of congress are predicted.—Pittsburg Times.

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THE FIRST STEPS TAKEN.

A University Extension Society Organized.

Officers Elected and Plans Discussed at a Meeting of the Committee of Twenty Last Evening.

The committee appointed at the Saturday meeting of the Lucas County Teachers association to consider the institution of a course of University Extension study in Toledo this winter met at the High School building last evening. There were twenty members of the committee present, fairly representing all interests of the city, when Superintendent Compton called the meeting to order, and stated its purpose.

The first question to be considered, Mr. Compton stated, was: "Shall we organize a University Extension society, and shall we organize it now, or first bring a leader in the movement here from abroad, and arrange for a mass meeting in which the plans and work of the University Extension system of study can be more fully presented to the general public?"

On motion to organize now, some discussion was had, in which the majority held that while a public lecture was desirable at some time, the notice the newspapers had already given to the movement, including the printing of Superintendent Compton's clear and admirable exposition of the system in his paper of Saturday last, had sufficiently opened the way for the organization of a society.

The motion to organize was carried, and the organization was made by the election of the following officers: President, H. W. Compton, superintendent of public schools; secretary, Miss Mary Smead, of the Smead school; treasurer, Col. Isaac D. Smead.

The next two questions considered were, "What shall the work be?" and, "Who shall do it?" On motion consideration of these questions was referred to an executive committee of five, of which the president of the society is to be chairman, and to appoint the remainder of the committee. Later Mr. Compton appointed to this committee Miss Emily Bouton, Prof. H. C. Adams, Rev. Dr. J. A. McGaw and W. S. Daly.

The consideration of ways and means came next, upon the question, "How shall the society be carried on?" A motion prevailed to appoint a finance committee of three, of which the treasurer of the society shall be chairman. Mr. Frank J. Hoag, of the library board, was made a member of this committee, and Colonel Smead and Mr. Hoag will choose the third member.

Upon request Prof. Adams read the course of University Extension study prepared by the Michigan university, which was printed in the Bee of Friday last, and is reprinted now by request:

The subjects of the lecture courses (six lectures to each course) are: Greek Life and Literature; Roman Art and Literature; Assyriology and Its Bearings; German Literature; English Language; Rhetoric and Art Criticism; French Literature; English Literature; History; Philosophy; The Science and Art of Teaching; Political Economy; Music; Printing and Books; Mathematics; General Chemistry; Bacteriology; Popular Astronomy; Geology; Zoology; Elocution and Oratory; Surveying; Drawing and Perspective; Mechanical Engineering.

The general committee adjourned subject to call by the president of the society, and it is understood another formal meeting will be held as soon as the executive and finance committees are ready to report.

SALTON'S INLAND SEA.

Its Area Much Greater Than Ever.

Late Visitors to the Wonderful Place Bring Reports That Disprove What Scientific Men Have Said.

Yuma, A. T. Dec. 15.—A party of explorers has just returned from the Salton Sea district and it is evident from their report that the new inland sea is here to stay.

When the water first came into the old dry bed it was said by scientists that it was only a temporary affair which came periodically and which would go away as soon as the sun had full play upon the water.

For some weeks there was no perceptible increase of the water and then it began to recede, and the scientists in question felt proud of their predictions and saw them verified.

The report of the men who have just returned, however, takes from the glory of those who thought they knew all about it. The report says that the sea is not only still there, but it is increasing. The water is gradually rising and, notwithstanding the constant evaporation which is going on, the sea now has an area of many miles greater than it had when it was first formed. The water is steadily advancing, and it will not be long at the present rate before the whole surface of the old bed will be covered many feet deep by the salt water.

There is undoubtedly some underground connection with the ocean, for the water is coming in much faster than the small stream connecting it with New river and the Colorado would warrant. The water is intensely salt and has that peculiar acrid taste of the sea water. The party which has just returned made a trip clear around the sea and saw no place where there was any indication that the water was from the rivers, except at the place where the break was first made.

They think they discovered a place where the ocean water came through the earth, as there was a constant boiling of the water in the sea. It is now believed that this country will be redeemed by the formation of the sea, and it will be of vast benefit to the mining industry of the country.

BAD WRECK.

Gainesville, Tex., Dec. 15.—The northbound passenger train on the Santa Fe, en route to Kansas City, was badly wrecked yesterday near Paul's Valley. One coach rolled down a steep embankment, turning over several times.

No trains have passed over the road since the wreck and it will be several hours yet before the track is cleared.

The rosebud opening to the morn,
While yet the dew hangs on the thorn,
Exhales less sweetness than is wont
To breathe from lips that SOZODONT
Has touched with a soft crimson glow
That shows the dazzling teeth off so.

NORTHWESTERN OHIO TEACHERS.

Association Meeting at Kenton at the Close of the Month.

Toledo teachers are in receipt of the program for the session of the Northwestern Ohio association, to be held at Kenton, December 28-30. Many subjects of interest will be discussed, including that of special training for teachers by Superintendent Compton, of this city. The program follows:

December 28—1:30 p. m.

Address of welcome—G. E. Crane.
Response—Supt. J. W. Zeller, Findlay.
Inaugural address by president—R. H. Morrison, Cardington.
Discussion of president's address.

December 29—9:00 a. m.

Opening exercises.
Ethics in the school-room—Miss Charlotte T. Abbott, Fostoria.
Discussion—W. H. Mustard Paulding; Miss Barr, Findlay.
Supplementary work in geography—Miss Greenslade, Bellevue.
Discussion—E. H. Webb, Plymouth; Miss Ida McDermott, Nevada.
Township or county supervision—C. W. Bennett, Piqua.
Discussion—W. E. Bowman, Hicksville; D. A. Haylor, Bowling Green.
Use and abuse of objective and analytic methods—A. B. Stevens, Stryker.
Discussion—J. M. Greenslade, Lima; G. S. Harter, Celina.

December 30—8:45 a. m.

Opening exercises.
Special training of teachers—H. W. Compton, Toledo.
Discussion—Prof. Warren Darst, Ada; F. M. Ginn, Clyde.
What should the high school course comprise?—C. A. Knout, Tiffin.
Discussion—W. V. Smith, Caledonia; Miss Fannie Gallup, Ottawa.

A time will be devoted to three conferences. Primary conference, conducted by Miss Iona Jones, Fostoria; grammar school conference, conducted by T. C. Ferguson, Kenton; high school conference, conducted by Miss Smith, Marion.

On Monday evening, December 28, there will be a lecture, illustrated on blackboard, by Prof. French, of Chicago, subject—"Art and Literature."

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Special Master's Sale

United States of America, Northern District of Ohio.

The Central Trust Company of New York Complainant, v. The Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinaw Railroad Company and others, Defendants. Consolidated Causes. In the Circuit courts of the United States for the Northern District of Ohio, Western division, and for the Southern district of Ohio, Western division, and for the Eastern district of Michigan, and for the Western district of Michigan, Southern division. In equity.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance of a decree of the Circuit Court of the United States for the Northern district of Ohio, Western division, entered in the above entitled cause on June 5, 1891, and of a decree of the Circuit Court of the United States for the Southern district of Ohio, Western division, entered in the above entitled cause on July 1, 1891, and of a decree of the Circuit Court of the United States for the Eastern district of Michigan, entered in the above entitled cause on June 29, 1891, and of a decree of the Circuit Court of the United States for the Western district of Michigan, Southern division, entered in the above entitled cause on June 30, 1891, and of an order of said circuit court of the United States for the Northern District of Ohio dated November 14th, 1891, and of orders of said other circuit courts adopting the same, we, Benjamin F. Wade and Hiram F. Carleton, the Special Masters designated, by said decrees, will sell without appraisement, at public auction, to the highest bidder or bidders, in the United States court room, in the City of Toledo, County of Lucas, and State of Ohio, at three o'clock, p. m. on the 22nd day of December, 1891, that portion of the mortgaged premises and property mentioned in said decrees, and thereby directed to be sold known as the Central Division of the Cincinnati, Jackson & Mackinaw Railroad Company, being the property described in the first mortgage of the Cincinnati, Van Wert & Michigan Railroad Company, dated April 14, 1881, together with the proportion of equipment, material and supplies appertaining to such Division, which upon the reference ordered in said decrees, shall be decreed by the court to properly belong to the same, and to be covered by said mortgage. The same will be sold in the manner and upon the terms hereinafter stated, viz: Said property will be offered for sale as an entirety, without appraisement or redemption. No bid will be accepted therefor from any bidder for a sum less than $150,000, nor from any bidder who shall not, if requested by the Special Masters, place in their hands, or deposit with them, as a pledge that he will make good his bid, if accepted by the court, the sum of $15,000 in cash, or first mortgage bonds of said Cincinnati, Van Wert & Michigan Railroad Company to the amount of $100,000 of principal.

Of the price for which said property shall be sold, there shall be paid in cash, at the time of the sale, a sum equal to the amount of cash deposit hereinbefore required, and also, at the same time, and from time to time thereafter, such further portions of said purchase price as the court may direct; and the court reserves the right to reject any bid, and to take and to sell said premises and property, upon failure of any purchaser for twenty days to comply with any order of the court requiring payment. The balance of the purchase price not required to be paid in cash may either be paid in cash, or the purchaser may satisfy and make good said balance of his bid, in whole or in part, by paying over the outstanding First Mortgage Bonds secured by said mortgage and overdue coupons, and the outstanding Income Bonds, or either, at such price or value as shall be equivalent to the amount that the holders thereof would be entitled to receive thereon, in case the entire purchase price were paid in cash. If any bid shall be accepted by the court, and the person making the same shall fail to comply with all the conditions of sale and all orders of the court with respect thereto, the sum deposited by the bidder shall be forfeited, and shall be applied as the court may direct.

Reference is hereby made to the said decrees for a more specific description of the mortgaged property therein ordered to be sold, and for further particulars of the terms and conditions of sale.

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NOTICE.—Lycurgus B. Moore and Moore, his wife, whose Christian name is unknown, residing in the City of New York, in the State of New York, the Massachusetts Mutual Life Insurance Company, residing in the city of Springfield, in the State of Massachusetts, will take notice that on the 17th day of November, 1891, the City of Toledo, for the use of John S. Eck, filed its petition in the Court of Common Pleas, of Lucas County, Ohio, in case No. 32460 against the above named parties and others praying for the foreclosure of an assessment, levied and assessed by the Common Council of said city on lot No. 99, the sum of $12.00, on No. 100 the sum of $12.00, on No. 101 the sum of $12.00, on No. 102 the sum of $12.00 in the Dorr Street Park add

IS IT RETURNING?

Some Remarks Upon a Subject of the Most Serious Importance, Especially at This Season of the Year.

Many people are anxious to know if we are likely to have another epidemic of the grip. That there are many persons suffering with it now there can be no doubt; that it may increase is a possibility; that steps should be taken to avoid it, is a serious certainty. The "grip" is not considered dangerous by many people and it may not be, if taken in time, but it leads to other dangerous complications and diseases, and to prevent it should be the greatest care of all. The slightest cold may turn to grip and you may be laid up, if you do not cure it. A tickling in the throat, slight tightness or a pain in the chest, lassitude or fatigue, chilliness, headache, lack of appetite or bad taste in the mouth may mean that the grip is preparing to seize you. At such a time, quick steps should be taken. At once secure a stimulant. Nature is lagging and requires stimulation, but bear carefully in mind that there is but one certain stimulant, and that is whiskey, and but one absolute pure medicinal whiskey and that is Duffy's Pure Malt. It has cured thousands of cases of grip and prevented it in an infinite number of times. It has stood the test of time and is the most popular preparation to-day. It is endorsed by physicians, scientists and thousands of men and women, who have used it continually. Should a salesman seek to sell you any other, because more profit can be made upon it, refuse it and insist upon having Duffy's Pure Malt. It is a great aid to health and is certain to counteract the first appearance of grip.

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There's an old, old story, sweet and true,
It's strangely told, as strangely new.
And now, forsooth, it's whispered you.

And you have listened, I hear to-day—
Listened and loved in the same old way
As women are won't to do, they say.

'Tis well that women love—'tis right;
They make the grim old world look bright
In some of heaven's borrowed light.

God bless, you, bless you, friend of mine,
And turn life's water into wine
Ruddy with joy for thee and thine!

'Tis well that women love—ah, yes!
Good they make better—evil, less;
They soothe and strengthen, lift and bless.

God crown you, then, with love most true!
To that quaint story, old and new,
May there be no end, my friend, for you!
—Mary Young Hogan.

BEESWAX.

Thirty-four pounds of raw sugar make 21 pounds of refined.

A Birmingham (Eng.) man collected 540,000 pennies during his lifetime.

According to an expert diamonds have sex as well as other attributes known to common people.

"Do you believe that charity begins at home?" "Not always. I have known cases where it didn't begin at all."

The "aluminium air ship" is again an "assured success." It is to spread its wings and fly at Milwaukee this time.

The governor of Virginia wants the state to tax dining cars as hotels. The governor of Virginia is a slow coach.

A farmer in Delaware claims to be able to preserve watermelons for winter use by coating the rind thickly with varnish.

The volcano of Colima, Mexico, is active. The column of fire from its crater at night can be seen for 100 miles.

Santa Fe is the oldest capital in the United States, having been the seat of New Mexico's government as far back as 1640.

Six citizens of Carroll county, Kansas, lately met with each other in the Carroll County bank. Their ages aggregated 578 years.

Cut flowers to the value of $14,175,328 were sold by American florists last year. There are 4,659 firms of florists in this country.

New Jersey and New York elect their governors for three years, and of the other 42 states 19 choose their governors for four years.

It has been ascertained that the potato is in no wise dependent upon its eyes for growth, although the pieces with eyes grow more rapidly.

The first thing a Japanese does in the morning is to take down the entire front of his building, leaving the whole of the interior open to view.

A soldier's gravestone in Cochin China bears this military command, carved after the man's name and date of his death: "Arms at Ease—Rest!"

There's always a demand for millinery specialists. The woman who can merely fashion a ribbon into an exquisite bow makes about $12 per week.

Chinese annals as remote as 2000 B. C., speak of the cultivation of tea, and classified it almost as perfectly as is done to-day. Its virtues were discovered by accident.

G. R. Dibbs, the prime minister of New South Wales, once spent 12 months in the penitentiary for having in a moment of hasty temper assaulted a political opponent.

It took 60,000 cars to transport the grapes of the United States to market last year. The vineyards of this country represent an investment of $155,000,000 and over.

Algy: "My boy, you look as if you had just stepped out of a fashion plate." Percy: "Bless me! I knew I had rheumatism, but I didn't suppose I was as stiff as that.

For choice mahogany, which is one of the chief articles of export from Honduras, London pays $175 per thousand superficial feet. Rosewood brings about $40 per thousand.

The most expensive postage stamp in the world is the noted Dundee stamp, which is valued at £500. James Chalmers, of Dundee, invented the adhesive postage stamp in 1834.

Dresses may be rendered incombustible by dipping them in a solution of tungstate of soda, one pound in two gallons of water. The most delicate color will not be affected by it.

A storage dam to hold 8,000,000,000 gallons is to be built in Soledad canyon, near Acton, in Los Angeles county, California. It is to be 150 feet high and about 900 feet long.

Prof. Ives, of the art department of the world's fair, announces that the artists of Russia have promised to send a collection of their art works, something never before seen in this country.

At a recent family reunion in Missouri two unusually fat babies were proudly exhibited by their fond parents. The oldest, aged 5 years, weighed 107 pounds, and the youngest, aged 2 1-2 years, weighed 93 pounds.

A remarkable family of eight old women is living in the same house at Vexio, Sweden. Three are widows and five are old maids. Their ages aggregate within a year or two of seven hundred years, each of the women being ninety years of age.

It seems that manufactured sermons have become a staple article of commerce. At least a Chicago company, which makes a specialty of manufacturing sermons claims to have on its rolls the names of 1,000 clergymen whom it regularly supplies.

The new Parisian fashion in stockings are made with separate compartments for each toe. This is said to be a sure cure for corns, which are caused by the rubbing of the skin against that of the neighboring toe.

A schoolmaster was once astonished to see a small member of his class come up with tears in his eyes, and a small heap of coppers on his slate. "Please, sir, I can't get the sum quite right, so I must make it up out of my own pocket," was the explanation.

It is not generally known that the word cutty, as applied to a species of clay pipe very much used, is a corruption of Kutaich, a city in Asia Minor, where a species of soft white stone is found, which is exported by the Turks to Germany for the manufacture of tobacco pipes.

Two or three nights ago a fox, while prowling about South Glastonbury, Conn., caught his tail in a barbed wire fence. In an attempt to escape he twisted it about the wire several times, and finally anchored himself in this novel way. Mr. Fox was quickly dispatched.

The Pemigewasset house at Plymouth, N. H., which has lately been crowded with the people in attendance at the Almy trial, is the house in which Nathaniel Hawthorn died, while he was on his way to the White mountains, or the "Crystal Hills," as he called them, in company with his friend, Franklin Pierce.

Rhode Island is the only state having two capitals. The state had two large towns, each claiming to be the political center, but neither agreeing to surrender its alleged prestige. The result was the selection of each as the capital city, with sessions alternating, opening at Newport with an adjourned session held at Providence.

Steam pipes have been made in England from the ramie fibre. The material is subjected to tremendous hydraulic pressure, and, having the property of being unaffected by moisture, will neither shrink nor swell, beside being a non-conductor of heat. The pipes have twice the tensile strength of steel pipes.

Eugenie's small and elegant foot, once the admiration of the French court, has now, it is said, become swollen out of shape by gout and rheumatism. The foot, in the days of its fame, was so Cinderella-like in its tininess that its discarded shoes could be worn only by children, for there was no woman in all Eugenie's train whose foot was small enough to fit them.

Those who have not been emancipated from superstition believe strange things. For instance, there are naturalists in this day and age who believe that horse hairs will turn to living snakes, that toads will live for thousands of years in the cavity of a rock without food or water, that the barnacle goose was developed from the shell fish of that name, and that the bird called Sora is a species of winged frog.

Dr. Jeserich has been making a special study of the photography of the hair of criminals, and in the case of the recent arrest of a Bertenese accused of murder the doctor promptly satisfied the police that the prisoner was not their man by the comparison of two hair photographs. Dr. Jeserich's ink photographs are said now to be among the most valued instruments for the detection of forgeries. Clever as criminals are, science seems to keep pace with them.

BEGGING, PRAYING, FIGHTING

For Food to Stop the Growing Pangs of Hunger.

Corn Selling at a Dollar a Quart and No Money to Buy It With—Labor Worth 10 Cents a Day.

New York, Dec. 15.—A correspondent of the Evening Post, writing from the City of Mexico, under date December 6, says of the food famine in Mexico: "So distressing has the condition of the poorer classes in the interior states of this republic become through the failure of the corn and bean crops that they are begging, praying and fighting like wolves for bread to escape dying by the roadside of hunger.

"Never before within the annals of the present generation has the failure of any crops resulted so disastrously as at present. Not alone in one quarter does the trouble exist, but in every section of the country, and appeal follows appeal to congress for relief for the hungry poor.

"The threatened condition of things as explained in the last of these letters, was not estimated. Indeed, full justice was hardly done to the prospective calamity. Every day, every hour, the outlook becomes more serious.

"Various schemes for relieving the distress have been suggested, but none has met with such universal favor as the proposal to remove the tax on American corn.

"Deputies Jose M. Romero, Emilio Pimental, Juan Eribiesca, Jose M. Gamboa and Ignacio Bejerano are energetically advocating the project in congress, and are urged on by the governments of every state in the republic.

"In the state of Zacatecas, that once flourishing mining section, the people are in as sorry a plight as those of the less wealthy districts.

Here the men, weakened by the lack of food, are unable to work, and mine after mine has been compelled to shut down on that account.

Here, too, homes have been deserted by the dozen, while their owners have undertaken a weary tramp, they themselves know not whither, in search of assistance, abandoning all their possessions. In the small suburbs outlying Zacatecas the inhabitants have begun to live on herbs and plants.

In the city of Fresnillo the prices of meats and groceries were placed so high as to be beyond the reach of even those of moderate means, and desperate famine riots have resulted. In the city of San Christopal, state of Chiapas, the people are equally desperate, and have also resorted to violence to get food for themselves and their starving families.

Corn is now bringing $1 a quart in some places, while the smallest chicken can be sold for 75 cents and even $1. Eggs cost $1.20 a dozen, lard has risen to 27 cents a pound, and sugar to 24, while prices equally exorbitant are demanded for every other article of food.

Laborers here get but 40 cents for the work of a day that extends from the rising of the sun to its setting; and on these meagre wages they have—many of them—to support families of half a dozen people. That deaths from hunger have not already been reported is due to the prompt action of the church authorities, who stocked their bins with corn when the first intimation of the famine reached them, and are now retailing it at reasonable rates to the poor. But these stocks are very limited.

STABBED TO DEATH.

A Family Quarrel at Lima Results in Murder.

Two Boys Could Not Agree and a Long Bladed Knife was Brought Into Deadly Use.

Lima, O., Dec. 15.—Yesterday afternoon at about 12:30 o'clock, Lima's first murder in years was committed by a boy aged not more than 18 years.

The murder grew out of a neighbors' quarrel, which has existed for several years between the Folk and McCabe families, who live at 1012 and 1010 North Jefferson street. Two of the McCabe boys, James and Ed, work at the Lima Egg Case works.

One of the Folk boys, Sol, who committed the murder, also works at the same place, and the three have often had words about the trouble.

Yesterday morning they had more words and when the shops shut down for dinner, they almost had a fight. Sol is the youngest in the Folk family, and when he went home he complained to his eldest brother, Samuel, who after dinner, started to go a part of the way with Sol. They walked slowly along and were soon overtaken by the two McCabe boys.

The trouble was renewed, and Sam and Jim were soon at it, hammer and tongs style. Neither of the brothers interfered until Folk commenced to show signs of getting the worst of it, when Sol jumped in, and drawing a long bladed knife, used at the factory for cutting cord, from his pocket, and lunging at Jim McCabe, stabbed him in the back. The blade penetrated the flesh, barely missing the right shoulder blade and passing clear through his body.

The wounded boy walked about 100 feet and fell from loss of blood. By this time assistance arrived and the wounded boy was carried to the home of his mother, a short distance from the scene of the tragedy, where he expired in a few minutes.

The young murderer then returned to his home and told his father what had happened, and gave him the knife. His father fearing a mob, started with his son for the police station.

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Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup has been used for over fifty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething, with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain; cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Sold by druggists in every part of the world. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup," and take no other kind. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

VALUABLE FIND.

St. Louis, Dec. 15.—To-day, a bag containing $5,000 worth of gold dust was discovered in a heap of cinders which were being used in laying a granitoid sidewalk.

The cinders were brought from the Southern hotel, and it is thought the gold is a part of the express robbery which took place near this city a short time since.

My family medicine—Simmons Liver Regulator.—Rev. Jas. M. Rollins, Fairfield, Va.

MADE AN ASSIGNMENT.

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 5.—The Levison & Blythe stationery, located at 213 and 215 North Third street, made an assignment to-day. Francis W. Palmer, one of the stockholders of the company, is the assignee. The liabilities are stated to be $40,000. Most of the creditors are eastern parties. It is believed the assets will equal the liabilities.

If sick headache is misery, what are Carter's Little Liver Pills if they will positively cure it? People who have used them speak frankly of their worth. They are small and easy to take.

WEARY OF THE WORLD.

St. Louis, Mo., Dec. 15.—Mrs. Annie Preston, a married woman, residing at 3915 North Twenty-third street, died at 6 o'clock this morning of morphine taken last night. She left a note addressed to Ed B. Martin, of Huffman, Ala., reading: "Send word to mother. I am done with this world."

For coughs and throat disorders use Brown's Bronchial Troches. "Have never changed my mind respecting them, except I think better of that which I began by thinking well of."—Rev. Henry Ward Beecher. Sold only in boxes.

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INSTITUTION FOR INEBRIATES.

Gold Cure Company Organized in Toledo with a Capital of $20,000.

A gold cure company to be operated on the same system as the Keeley institution at Dwight, Ill., has been organized in this city with a capital stock of $20,000. Mr. W. J. Booth, of Shaw, Kendall & Co., is the treasurer of the company. Speaking with a Bee last evening Mr. Booth said:

"Yes, we have organized the company, and the incorporation papers have been forwarded to Columbus. We will locate in Lima, and expect to start the first of the year. Mr. Baxter, of Lima, is the president, and we will have at the head of the institution one of the chief gold cure experts in the country."

"What is the nature of your system?"

"The same as that used at the Keeley institute at Dwight, Ill. I have just returned from there, and it is marvelous the permanent cures that are effected. The patient is given as much liquor as he desires, and gets four hyperdermic injections a day. At the end of three or four days the very smell of whisky makes the patient sick. It is a disease of the blood, and the cure is permanent."

A DEAL WITH PEFFER.

He Falls Into the Republican Trap.

The Farmers Who Sent Him to the Senate Can Now Put In Their Time Kicking Themselves.

Washington, Dec. 15.—(Special)—The republican senatorial caucus has completed its work on committees. Mr. Sherman's value to the republican party is shown very plainly by the fact that he has been made chairman of the foreign relations committees and a member of the following: Finance, rules, quadro-centennial (select), university of the United States (select), investigate condition of Potomac river front of Washington (select).

Mr. Hoar heads the judiciary while Peffer comes in for the following: Claims, examine the several branches of the civil service, census, improvement of Mississippi river, railroads.

The republicans have evidently made a deal with Peffer fearing that they would need his vote in close cases in the senate, so that the farmers of Kansas are just as bad off as they were when Ingalls represented them and may learn from the lesson the fact that the only way for them to get relief is to vote the democratic ticket.

Mr. Allison heads the appropriation committee and Mr. Cullom the interstate commerce committee, while Mr. Quay is put down for chairman of the library committee and member of the committee on woman suffrage.

The senators from the northwestern states have been well taken care of in the matters of chairmanships and places on important committees. While Messrs. Felton, Dubois and Hansbrough do not secure chairmanships, they do get assignments to committees that originate a large part of the important legislation of congress. The name of Senator Kyle does not appear upon the list, although Senator Peffer, his alliance colleague, is given four committee assignments.

It is learned that Senator Kyle was approached with a view to ascertaining his preferences, but that his response was non-committal and vaguely hinted at an expectation that the alliance senators would receive committee assignments from both the republican and democratic caucuses. Doubt has also been cast upon his soundness in republican principles, so that up to this time the republican caucus has been unable to place him, although it may do so to-morrow.

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$1800—Fourth street, East Toledo, 2-story frame, large lot.
$2200—Erie, near Galena, new 2-story.
$ 900—Hoag, near Dorr, cottage.
$ 600—Tecumseh street, near Junction avenue, cottage.
$1050—Tecumseh street, near Lenk, 2-story.
$ 550—Stickney avenue, near Central avenue, cottage.
$1250—East Broadway, East Toledo, new cottage.
$1600—Brick house, Hamilton, near Erie.
$2000—Bartlett, near Lawrence avenue, 2-story.
$3000—Warren, near Prescott, frame house.
$2600—Erie, near Lafayette, store and living rooms.
$3000—Front street, East Toledo, 2-story frame, large lot.
$5500—Twenty-first, near Monroe, modern frame.
$1200—Niagara, near Galena, cottage.
$3500—Woodruff avenue, near Warren Street School.
$1000—Franklin avenue, near Cherry, cottage.
$1550—Erie, near Buckeye, 6-room cottage.
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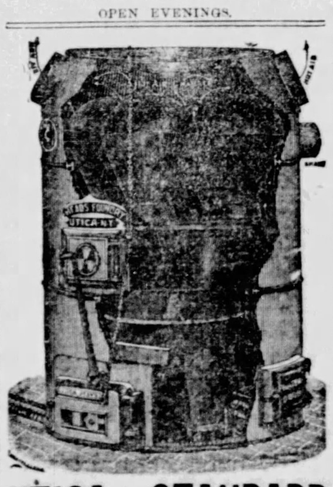

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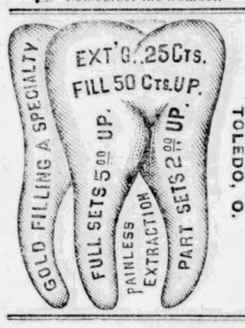

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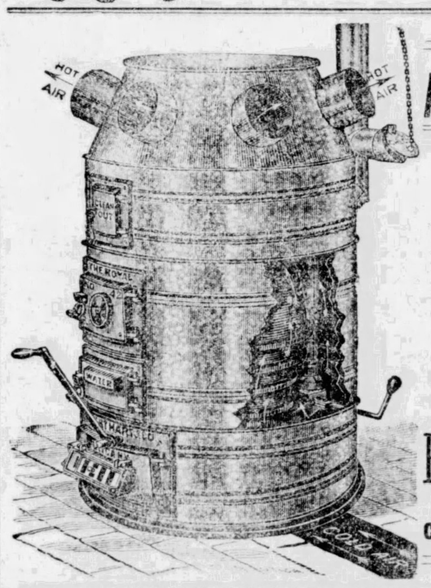

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THE LINES DRAWN.

President Gompers States the Case Plainly.

Will the Federation Work With the Knights?

The Miner's Failure in the Eight Hour Move.

Child Labor in Stores Should be Stopped.

An Interesting Address From the Chief Executive of the American Federation of Labor, in Session in Birmingham, Alabama, To-Day.

Birmingham, Ala., Dec. 15.—(Special)—The feature of the second day's session of the Eleventh Annual convention of the American Federation of Labor, was the presentation of the annual report of the president, Samuel Gompers. Great interest was manifested in this document, and when the roll was called shortly after nine o'clock not a delegate was absent.

The address, although somewhat lengthy, being classified under twenty-seven different heads, was an able, comprehensive and statesmanlike document dealing with all phases of the labor question important to the three-quarters of a million of toilers represented by the listening delegates. In opening, President Gompers said:

"Fellow-Unionists:—Gathering in our annual conclaves and meeting as we do to-day for the first time in the history of the trade union movement in that part of our country which but a short time ago, seldom heard the joyful sound of the hammer, and the anvil and the forge, or saw the power of the steam engine, and whose industries are now being developed, it affords me more than ordinary pleasure to greet you as delegates from the organizations of wage-workers.

"Coming, as you do, fresh from the factories, shops, mills, and mines of our country to gather in this convention to voice the sentiments of outraged justice, seeking the right too often denied to devise the means to obtain a fair requital of the toilers' drudgery, to lighten the burden from the shoulders of the oppressed, harkening to the wail of sorrow and despair of the women and the child; in a word, to help on that great struggle for the abolition of economic, social and political wrongs and the establishment of such conditions which shall be more in harmony with the aspirations of the human family.

"In the name of the toiling masses of our country I welcome you to this convention of the American Federation of Labor, and trust that, spurred on by the sacrifices of the past and the noble deeds of those who have gone before, we may be imbued with that judgment, earnestness and devotion to the interests of that class to which we have the honor to belong—the working class."

Eight Hour Movement.

This portion of the address created something of a sensation:

"Following the policy therefore pursued, the Detroit convention of the Federation decided upon continuing the movement for a reduction in the hours of labor of the toiling classes. The convention decided to select the organization of a craft to demand the enforcement of the eight hour day on May 1st, 1891.

The report of the special committee having that subject in hand omitted the name of any particular craft and tacitly relegated the selection to the executive council to be made as the exigencies of the time might warrant.

"The delegates of the miners demanded that their trade be the one named; they declared that the miners were fully prepared and determined to inaugurate the movement. The convention readily acceded to the demand, and great hopes were entertained that the enthusiasm and determination would result in the establishment of a substantial reduction in the hours of labor of the employed miners, and find work for a large number of that craft who were unemployed, and thus by successive victories give an impetus to the movement for a general reduction in the hours of labor of the entire working class, bringing them so much nearer the goal of their final aspirations.

"Every facility at the command of the executive council was set in motion. Circulars were sent broadcast and reached every member and labor union throughout the country. The organizers and unions held public and business meetings. The president of the Federation traveled from Maine to California, the combined efforts of all creating such a sentiment and feeling of earnestness and co-operation, so that every prospect for a successful inauguration of the movement seemed bright and encouraging.

"While there had been vague rumors current that the miners would not make the movement, the first official or authentic information received at this office of the fact was on May 1st, the date upon which the demand was expected to be made and the movement inaugurated.

"It would be idle to attempt to describe the feeling of astonishment it caused the executive council and disappointment manifested and chagrin felt by the organized working men and women of the country at the announcement of the abandonment of the movement by the miners.

"The causes that led up to the abandonment of the movement by the miners has been mentioned in a circular and need not be reproduced here. No doubt the representatives of the organization of that craft at this convention will sufficiently explain the cause of their action to the satisfaction of all here assembled.

"If there has been any negligence or misrepresentation on the part of the officers of the Federation or a lack of frankness on the part of any one connected with this movement the proceedings of this convention should demonstrate it and place it in the archives of our organization, in order that the future historian of the struggles of the working class may correctly record it.

Convict Labor.

"Within the past few months the question of convict labor has been conspicuously brought before the attention of the American people by the action of the miners of Tennessee in forcibly refusing to allow the convicts in that state to work in the mines.

"The miners have gradually seen the convicts brought into the mining regions, their already scant wages reduced, and their work taken from them and given to the convicts to perform.

"To a greater or less degree the same evil prevails in all our states. The policy of the state seems to be to provide work for the convict; the free man may be flung out of employment, pauperized and demoralized, in too many instances beyond the hope of redemption, for the mere sake that a few paltry dollars may be "saved" to the state, that it and its corporate favorites may make fortunes at the expense and of the honor of the people."

"Vulture-like, the fallen and degraded are their prey. Under the constitutional provision giving congress the right to regulate the commerce between the states, the labor of convicts could be prevented from being permitted to enter any other state. I would recommend that this subject of convict labor in all its phases receive your earnest consideration, and special attention given to devise means by which this unfair system can be abated or abolished."

Unfair Immigration.

"We are confronted with a condition of affairs in reference to immigration which is indeed appalling, and should command the earnest and sincere consideration of the delegates to this convention. The time was when the American people could declare that the United States should be a haven for the oppressed of all nations and invite all who desired to seek a new home to come to our shores.

"At this time the industries of our country were entirely in their infancy, our lands were undeveloped, our resources greater than we even knew. The people who came did so of their own volition, they cast their fortunes with those already here, harmonized and blended with them.

"To-day, however, there is not an industry which is not over-crowded with working people who vainly plead for an opportunity to work. This is not only confined to the factories, workshops, mills, mines and stores; the same complaint can be heard arising from farm lands, and all join in one mighty cry that relief must come.

"On the other hand we see artificial famines in some of the older countries caused by the vast holdings of the titled wealthy class. While the masses starve, the tyrannical autocrats and effete monarchs bolster up their miserable dynasties by forcing immigration, while their willing tools furnish the means to aid them out of their respective countries, and as they cannot go to many other countries in Europe, and owing to the laxity of public spirit and a recognition of the dangers that threaten us, they are literally "dumped" upon our shores.

"There are societies formed for that special purpose, who forward at least ten thousand emigrants each month, and again, the ship companies, by the wiles known to the cunning speculator, improperly stimulate unnecessary and unhealthy immigration.

"Then again, the great corporation which, in violation of the law, enter into written and implied contracts for servile labor to crowd and compete with the employed, and large masses of unemployed working people of our country, to crown the wrong some of the officers of the United States government charged with the enforcement of the law to prevent improper immigration, showed a lack of sympathy with the law, connived at its violation, and sought to bring the whole law and the spirit of the law into utter ridicule and contempt.

"Quite recently, spurred on by organized labor, a better effort is made to enforce the law. There are ways and means by which, without bigotry, narrowness and a spirit of "Knownothingism," these wrongs can be remedied, and they can and should be formulated.

"One officer of the general government should have undivided authority and be held responsible for the enforcement of the law I view the immigration problem not from the mere selfish standpoint of my own protection, but I am persuaded that it not only tends to destroy the independence, progress and advancement of our people, but also is an efficient means by which the effete institutions of some of the European countries are perpetuated, and thus economical, political and social reforms postponed or avoided.

"In my judgment delegates to this convention representing the organized wage-workers of our country should voice their sentiments in unmistakable tones, and declare that we will have relief from this pressing evil."

Free Speech and Assemblage.

On the subject of free speech and free assemblage, President Gompers points out the dangers that would confront the workingman were they to be abridged.

K. of L. Proposition.

"In the official journal of the Knights of Labor appeared a series of resolutions, adopted by their recent session, which sets forth propositions to this convention for a recognition of cards and labels issued by that organization or by the American Federation of Labor or unions affiliated with it.

"Up to this time these propositions have not been received at our headquarters, but a copy of the propositions is published in their official journal and herewith submitted to you for your consideration and action.

"My views upon such a proposition are too well known to require a reiteration of them here, and I prefer to submit them to such action as you may take, uninfluenced by any words of mine.

On Politics.

President Gompers' well known views in opposition to the unions as a body taking part in politics are reiterated.

Woman's Labor.

"One of the consequences of modern industry has been the forcing of women and girls into the factories and workshops, not that the work may inure to their benefit, but to the injury of male workers. Hood's 'Song of the Shirt' has just as much cause to be sung to-day as it had when written, and when it caused a thrill to humanity and cast a blush upon the cheeks of the people.

"Now, however, we trace the cause of the wrongs inflicted upon the women workers, and find that it is due to a lack of that one factor by which it is at all possible to raise them from the sloughs of poverty, despair and helplessness, namely, organization.

"The lack of organization among our sisters of labor is the main cause of their misery, and the unfair discrimination in the wages paid and consideration given to them.

"I commend to your consideration the absolute necessity of taking special action looking to the systematic agitation for the organization of the women wage workers."

Child Labor.

"There have been several laws passed by our state legislatures in the interest of the working people, particularly those which secure the wages of the working people through a lien on the production of the laborer; in a few instances the age being raised before which children can be employed at any occupation.

"There is much to be desired in this latter instance, since, in many cases, exceptions have been made in the application of the law to 'mercantile establishments.'

"The employment of children at young and tender ages in the stores and basements of mercantile houses is just as barbarous and inhuman as it is in the factory and workshop, and should be prohibited.

"Congress having been so thoroughly engrossed with the tariff question, there has been no opportunity for a discussion being had upon the constitutional amendment to prohibit the labor of children, and it was therefore deemed inadvisable to introduce the amendment at the last session. The incoming executive should have the amendment introduced in the present congress."

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CHURCH AND STATE.

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The Sheriff in Control at Crested Butte.

More Blood Will be Shed if the Mining Companies Attempt to Import More Foreign Workmen.

Denver, Col., Dec. 15.—Latest advices from the scene of the rioting at the little mining camp of Crested Butte, Col., state that the temporary peace which was restored Saturday still remains.

However, an armed force of men under the command of Sheriff Shores, protects the property and lives of the little town and 40 armed men with Winchesters are guarding the property of the Colorado Coal and Iron company, the company by whom the insurgent foreigners were employed.

Reinforcements are held at Gunnison ready to march to the aid of Sheriff Shores in case there should be an outbreak. The strikers are as thoroughly armed as the officers and besides far exceed the latter in number, being about 200.

They are desperate men who have become hardened by life in the mountain wilds and who entertain little regard for American institutions. Few of them are citizens.

Nevertheless, it is improbable that there will be more bloodshed unless the company should import men to take the places of the strikers.

The officers of the company say they will not under any circumstances reinstate the strikers and they aver that they cannot afford now to close down their mines at Crested Butte. Therefore the situation in the excited little camp is critical, and there may yet be bloodshed and lives lost.

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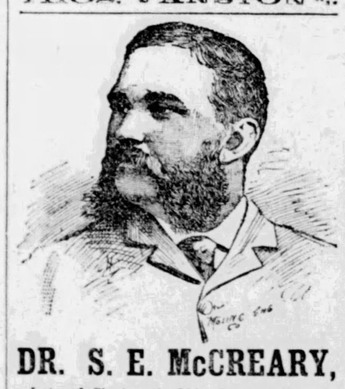

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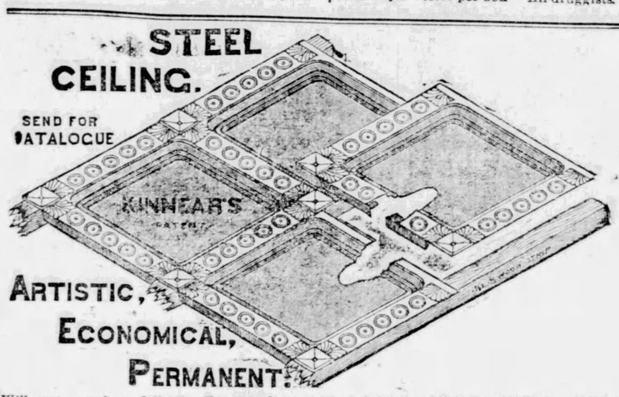

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Wheat Quotations for the Day—Price Current for Produce and Other Articles

British Breadstuffs.

London, Dec. 14.—The Mark Lane "Express," in its weekly review of the British grain trade, says: English wheats have fallen 1s. The supplies are large. The decline is partly due to the inferior condition of most of the offerings. Foreign wheats are also 1s down, under continued heavy arrivals. California is quoted at 44s 6d and American red winter at 39s 9d. Oats is firm. Corn in London has fallen 1s and in the provincial market 6d. Barleys are weak.

At to-day's market English wheats were in bad condition and were 6d cheaper. Foreign wheats were in excessive supply and were hard to sell at the above decline. Flour, ordinary English and American declined 6d per sack. Malting barley was 6d lower. Grinding barley was very firm, owing to the absorption of the arrivals from Russia. Oats recovered 1s. Corn was 3d lower.

Illinois Wheat Crop.

Springfield, Ill., Dec. 14.—The winter wheat crop bulletin of the state board of agriculture says that wheat has been greatly injured by drouth and that "the stand as a whole is very uneven, and the wheat crop in Illinois in 1892 is not very encouraging." In the northern division the condition of winter wheat is about 80 per cent. of the usual December average; in the central division 83 per cent. and in the southern division 26 points less than seasonable average.

Northwest Wheat Stocks.

Minneapolis, Dec. 14.—Figures compiled by the Northwestern Miller show the stock in private elevators of Minneapolis to be 1,563,000 bu, a gain of 56,000 bu.

The Minneapolis Market Record reports the stock in country elevators of Minnesota and the two Dakotas at 10,165,100 bu, an increase of 248,300 bu. The aggregate northwestern stock is thus made 23,123,420 bu, an increase of 1,447,202 bu. A year ago the stock was 20,908,736 bu.

Exports of Breadstuffs.

We are indebted to Hon. S. G. Brock, chief of bureau of statistics, for the following summary of the exports of breadstuffs for the periods named:

	November. 1891.	1890.
Flour bbls	1,143,602	793,080
Wheat, bu	14,955,780	3,399,430
Rye, bu	942,156	32,775
Oats, bu	1,076,141	34,772
Corn, bu	2,026,128	1,258,586
Barley, bu	391,935	27,953
Corn meal, bbls	20,981	30,273
Oat meal, lbs	2,739,501	583,500

Value exports, Nov., 1891, $24,588,979; Nov., 1890, $7,682,004.

	Five months end. Nov. 30, 1891.	1890.
Flour, bbls	5,087,703	3,958,407
Wheat, bu	70,458,367	18,203,502
Rye, bu	6,977,395	293,064
Oats, bu	1,808,569	739,865
Corn, bu	12,540,322	16,690,590
Barley, bu	1,325,476	236,860
Corn meal, bbls	112,148	152,016
Oat meal, lbs	7,220,916	5,527,621

Value of exports five months in 1891, $125,747,300; value of exports five months in 1890, $44,679,477.

Value of Our Exports.—The value of the exports of breadstuffs in November, 1891, was $24,588,979. In November, 1890, $7,682,004. For five months in 1891, $125,747,300, and in 1890, $44,679,477. The value of the exports of provisions and dairy products in November, 1891, was $9,441,968, and in 1890, $9,440,817. For eleven months in 1891, $108,829,919; in 1890, $118,196,027. The value of our exports of cotton in November, 1891, was $48,007,695; in 1890, $44,565,598. For three months in in 1891, $98,201,771; in 1890, $112,494,750. The value of our exports of mineral oil in November, 1891, was $3,506,565; in 1890, $4,503,238. For eleven months in 1891, $41,474,135; in 1890, $47,700,471.

Government Report of Exports.—We print herein the United States treasury department table of exports of breadstuffs for November and for five months in 1891 and 1890.

The export of wheat and flour expressed in wheat, in November equaled 20,101,989 bu., compared with 6,963,792 bu. in November, 1890.

The exports for five months (flour and wheat) equaled 102,853,630 bu., compared with 36,011,835 bu. in five months in 1890.

Of the exports in five months there was shipped from our Pacific ports 673,843 bbls of flour and 16,570,324 bu. of wheat, equal to 19,602,117 bu. of wheat, which deducted from the aggregate exports, leaves 82,751,513 bu. as the movement from our Atlantic ports.

The Markets.

London wheat and corn markets weaker; wheat 3d lower. Weather rainy. Liverpool wheat dull and 1-2d lower; corn 1 3-4d lower.

The receipts of wheat at seven principal western points to-day are 931,356 bu, compared with 374,683 bu on the same day last year.

The imports into the United Kingdom for the week were 4,712,000 bu of wheat and 166,000 bbls of flour, equal to 5,450,000 bu of wheat, and 808,000 bu of corn.

The quantity of flour and wheat on ocean passage decreased last week 832,000 bu, being an increase to the United Kingdom of 104,000 bu and a decrease to the continent of 936,000 bu. Corn increased 664,000 bu.

Our table herein of available wheat and corn shows a decrease of 231,200 bu wheat, and an increase of 1,519,608 bu corn.

Chicago Bulletin.—The latest official French estimate from threshing returns makes the area 12,600,000 acres, against 17,600,000 in 1890. The yield per acre is 15.92 bu., against 17.49 on an average for 10 years. Total yield, 200,800,000 bu., against 336,800,000 bu. in 1890, shortage of 136,000,000 bu.

The annual report of the Michigan state salt inspector shows that during the year 3,927,671 bbls. were inspected, an increase of nearly 100,000 barrels over last year. Saginaw's output was 962,954.

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The receipts of wheat to-day at seven principal western points are 456,945 bus. in excess of the corresponding Tuesday in 1890.

The export clearances yesterday at four Atlantic ports were—Boston not included—784,087 bus. of wheat besides flour not all received, but the aggregate is over 1,000,000 bus. The export of corn was 59,085 bus, and of oats 103,265 bus.

English markets as reported herein are dull and lower for wheat and corn.

Exports.

By the government report of exports herein, it will be seen that in wheat and flour expressed in wheat we have exported in five months since July 1st equal to 102,353,630 bus. This movement is at the rate of 248 millions for 12 months. But what is important to remember in connection with it is that we have exported 7,690,000 bus. of Rye in the same period against 293,064 bus in 1890, and this grain is and has been to foreign consumers the equivalent of wheat.

If our exports of flour and wheat keep this pace we shall exhaust our crop unless it proves to exceed 600,000,000 bu. Our corn consumption for food may safely be called 283,000,000. Seeding purposes 53,000,000. Used for manufacturing other than flour 5,000,000. Export 248,000,000—is 589,000,000, without providing a reserve even as small as that in farmers' hands July 1 last.

Ocean Stock.

While the ocean supply of flour and wheat is increased last week to the United Kingdom 104,000 bu., the stock destined to the continent was decreased 936,000 bu. This weekly decrease to the continent must soon have its effect upon prices. It has been 8,000,000 bu. since September 21. The stock destined for the United Kingdom is now but 1,680,000 bu. greater than last year at this time.

The markets for wheat and corn have been very dull and soft to-day, and at one time 1c lower for May. It seems to us an anamalous condition in wheat. The markets abroad confess their dependence on America for supplies, and America seems to depend upon foreign markets for prices, instead of making the prices. We are not content without reducing our prices day by day. All this comes about by an army of strong short sellers who have prospered in their calling in other years, and can only see a profit on short sales.

The wet weather yesterday and to-day works against the condition of corn and it has been lower all day, for all deals, except May, which is nearly steady.

Liverpool is reported as closing lower for wheat and corn. Berlin quoted slightly lower. Antwerp unchanged. Paris unchanged for wheat and lower for flour.

Before the close the wheat market gained a portion of the decline.

In New York December and May wheat closed 1-2c lower. December corn 2 1-4c and May 1-8c lower. December oats 7-8c lower.

In Chicago December wheat closed 1-2c lower. May 3-8c lower. December corn 3 3-4c lower. May 1-8c lower. December oats unchanged.

In Toledo, as in other markets, the wheat trading has been dull and the market weak. The business was in the May future, principally, and the prices made were lower. Opening trades were at a loss of 1-4, and which was increased at at one time to 3-4, closing at a loss of 1-2. On the call December sold at 96 5-8 and May at 1 02 1-2. After the call December closed at 96 1-4. May sold at 1 02 3-8 to 1 01 7-8 and closed at 1 02 1-8. Cash wheat. Small sales only. No. 2 soft at 96 1-2 to 96 1-4, a loss of 3-4; No. 3 soft at 92 1-2; rejected No. 2 at 78; No. 3 red and white at 92. Corn. No. 3 at 45 1-2; No. 4 at 43 1-2; No. 2 yellow at 48 1-2. Oats, No. 2 white at 36; No. 2 at 35 1-2. Rye, No. 2 at 92; No. 3 at 88 1-2 to 88.

Clover Seed was firm for spot and a little weaker for February and fairly active. No sales of prime for cash reported. For country prime $5 55 was bid. February sold at $5 60 to $5 57 1-2 to $5 60. January at $5 57 1-2 to $5 55. March, $5 65. No. 2 at $5 30 to $5 40. On the call February sold at $5 60.

Received.	Wheat.	Corn.	Oats.
New York	432,000	353,400	95,325
Baltimore	113,705	94,674	4,000
Philadelphia	26,140	59,525	42,005
Boston	28,480	58,200	53,420
Toledo	46,500	37,000	1,400
Chicago	146,639	181,502	164,682
Milwaukee	100,024	19,620	36,000
St. Louis	65,000	156,000	39,000
Detroit	15,807	10,341	6,713
Duluth	202,798	.....	.....
Minneapolis	254,820	.....	.....

Shipped.	Wheat.	Corn.	Oats.
New York	666,158	41,393	86,630
Baltimore	176,610	.....	.....
Philadelphia	1,319	17,692	16,635
Toledo	4,300	78,570	400
Chicago	65,757	181,211	270,632
Milwaukee	9,900	580	27,200
St. Louis	45,000	159,000	27,000
Detroit	522	4,509	.....
Duluth	3,321	.....	.....
Minneapolis	100,100	.....	.....

Markets by Telegraph.

London, Dec. 15.—1 p. m.—Wheat cargoes off coast at opening, very slow business; maize nothing offering. Wheat and maize cargoes on passage and for shipment, weaker. Red winter wheat for prompt shipment, 480 lbs, American terms, 39s 6d. Red winter wheat for present and following month, 480 lbs, American terms, 39s 6d. No. 1 Cala. wheat just shipped or promptly to be shipped, 500 lbs, California terms, 44s; No. 1 Cala. wheat nearly due, 500 lbs, California terms, 43s 9d. English country markets steadier. Weather rainy.

Liverpool, Dec. 15.—1 p. m.—Wheat market dull, demand poor, holders offer offer moderately. American mixed corn quiet, demand poor, 5s 6 1-4d. No. 2 spring wheat (U. S. Seaboard Inspection) 8s 5d@8s 5 1-2d. No. 2 red winter wheat (New York Standard) 8s 5d@8s 5 1-2d. No. 1 Cala. wheat 8s 9 1-2d@8s 10d. Wheat and corn off coast demand poor.

New York, Dec. 15.—Money, 2 1-2@3 per cent. Exchange steady; posted rates 484@486; actual rates, 482 1-2@483 for 60 days and 484 1-2@485 for demand.

Governments quiet; currency 6s, 108 1-2 bid; 4s coupon, 117 1-2 bid; extended 2s, registered, 100 bid.

New York, Dec. 15.—Flour moderately active and steady; city mill extra, $5 25 for West Indies; Minnesota extra, $3 65@5 60; fine, $2 90@3 65; superfine, $3 25@3 90. Wheat options opened weak and continued weak throughout the morning, and at noon was 7-8 lower; No. 2 red winter cash, $1 06 @1 06 1-2; January, $1 05 3-4; February, $1 07 1-8; March, $1 08 1-2. Corn opened weak at 5-8c decline and further fell 1-2 more in the early trading; No. 2 mixed cash, 60 1-4@60 1-2c; December, 60c; January, 55c; February, 54c. Oats dull but steady; No. 2 mixed cash, 40@40 1-2c; January, 39 1-2c. Rye steady; $1 03@1 04 1-2 for whole range. Barley weak; No. 2 Milwaukee, 73@74c. Molasses quiet; New Orleans, new crop, 30@38c. Sugar, refined weak; cutloaf and crushed, 5 1-8c; granulated, 4 3-16@4 5-16c; cubes, 4 3-8c; mould A, 4 3-8c. Coffee quiet; fair rio cargoes, 16 1-4c. Rice nominal. Pork dull; moderately active; new mess, $10 50. Lard quiet; January, $6 45; February, $6 55. Butter, unsettled; western extra, 28 1-2@29c. Cheese quiet; factory state full cream fine, 10 3-4@10 7-8c. Eggs dull; western fresh, 24 1-2c. Turpentine strong at 33 1-2@34c. Rosin steady; strained to good, $1 35@1 40. Tallow dull; prime city, 4 3-4c. Petroleum dull; freights nominal.

Chicago, Dec. 15.—Opening—Wheat—May, 97 7-8@98c. Corn—January, 46 1-2c; May, 43c. Oats—May, 33 1-8c. Pork—January, $10 87 1-2@10 90; May, $11 35. Lard—January, $6 12 1-2; May, $6 47 1-2. Ribs—January, $5 40; May, $5 77 1-2.

Chicago, Dec. 15.—Close: Wheat—December, 91 1-4; January, 92 1-8; May, 97 5-8. Corn—December, 51; January, 45 7-8; May, 43. Oats—December, 32 5-8; May, 33 1-8@33 1-4. Pork—January, 10 95; May, 11 40. Lard—January, 6 12 1-2; May, 6 47 1-2. Ribs—January, 5 45; May, 5 80.

LIVE STOCK.

New York, Dec. 15.—Cattle—Receipts, 5,854 head, including 84 cars for sale. The market was very dull and a shade easier. Sales of native steers at $3 50@5 00 per cwt; bulls and cows at $1 25@2 50. Dressed beef was lower at 7@9 1-4c per lb for native sides.

Calves—Receipts, 790 head. The market was steady. Sales of veals at $5 00@5 15 per cwt; grassers at $2 25@2 50, and western calves at $3 00@3 50.

Sheep—Receipts, 14,257 head. The market was steady. Sheep sold at $3 50@4 75 per cwt; lambs at $5 00@6 00. Dressed mutton was steady at 6 1-2@8c per lb., and dressed lambs slow at 7@8 1-2c.

Hogs—Receipts, 19,854 head, consigned direct. The market was nominally steady. Sales at $3 60@4 00 per cwt.

Buffalo, Dec. 15.—Cattle—Receipts, 65 loads through, 220 on sale. The market was about steady. Extra steers at $4 75@5 10 per cwt; choice at $4 45@4 65; good fairly fat shipping at $4 25@4 40.

Hogs—Receipts, 79 loads through, 200 loads on sale. The market was about steady. Heavy grades corn fed at $3 90@4 00 per cwt, medium weights corn fed at $3 80@3 85.

Sheep—Receipts, two loads through, 118 loads on sale, including 30 loads of Canadas. The market was 10@15c lower. Sales of extra fancy sheep at $4 80@5 20 per cwt; good to choice at $4 25@4 75; good to choice native lambs at $5 20@5 65; common to fair do at $4 90@5 15; Canadas, common to extra, at $5 50@5 80.

Chicago, Dec. 15.—The Evening Journal reports: Cattle—Receipts, 16,000 head; shipments, 3,500 head. The market was fairly active and steady to a shade higher. Sales of Christmas steers at $6 00@6 60 per cwt; good to choice at $4 80@5 25; others, at $2 25@4 50; stockers at $2 00@3 10; cows at $1 30@2 90.

Hogs—Receipts, 62,000 head; shipments, 8,000 head. The market was lower. Sales of rough and common at $3 40@3 50 per cwt; mixed and packers at $3 45@3 70; prime heavy and butchers' weights at $3 75@3 85; light at $3 90@3 60.

Sheep—Receipts, 7,000 head; shipments, none. The market was slow and 10@15c lower. Sales of sheep at $4 00@4 85 per cwt; lambs at $4 75@5 25.

Kansas City, Dec. 15.—The Live Stock Indicator reports: Cattle—Receipts, 3,400 head; shipments, 2,400 head. The market was quiet and steady. Sales of native steers at $3 00@3 85 per cwt; cows at $3 50@3 65; stockers and feeding steers at $2 30@3 15.

Hogs—Receipts, 7,000 head; shipments, 1,200 head. The market was 5@10c lower, mostly 5c. Sales of all grades at $3 15@3 55 per cwt, the bulk at $3 45.

Sheep—Receipts, 1,100 head; shipments, 500 head. The market was steady for good grades; others weak.

East Liberty, Dec. 15.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,583 head; shipments, 1,170 head. The market was very dull and 15@25c off from last week's prices. Three cars of cattle shipped to New York to-day.

Hogs—Receipts, 1,095 head; shipments, 5,700 head. The market was active. Sales of Philadelphias at $3 90@3 95 per cwt; good mixed at $3 85@3 90; fair to best Yorkers at $3 75@3 85. Thirty cars of hogs shipped to New York to-day.

Sheep—Receipts, 3,800 head; shipments, 900 head. The market was steady on good sheep and lambs; common and medium dull at about last week's prices. Prime sheep at $4 80@5 10 per cwt; fair to good at $4 25@4 65; common at $1 00@3 00; lambs at $3 50@5 40; veal calves at $4 50@6 50.

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IT CAME TOO LATE.

Strange History of a Peculiar Pension Case.

The Claimant an Inmate of the Toledo Infirmary—Dies Just as the Claim is Allowed.

A most peculiar pension claim in which Toledo is interested has been allowed by the government, but it came a little too late to benefit whom it most interested.

Yesterday Pension Agent Loenshal of this city received notification that the claim of Franklin McClenathan for a pension had been granted. It gave back pension of $2,790.07 and a monthly allowance.

The history of the case is a singular one. In the fall of 1864 William McClenathan, a private in Co. I, Forty-first Ohio, was wounded by a bullet which entered the navel and could not afterwards be located. He lay nine months in hospital and finally reached his home at Elmore, O., in time to expire in his father's arms.

The father, all alone in the world, was heart-broken, and it seemed ill-luck followed him. Six years ago he became an inmate of the poor house at Monroe and finally drifted to Toledo, where he became a charge of the county infirmary. He applied for a pension on the strength of his son's death, but the doctor who attended William in his last moments, having certified that he had died of pneumonia, the claim was rejected.

Some time ago the case was placed in the hands of Mr. Loenshal and he had the grave opened. The dust of the dead man was sifted and the bullet received 25 years ago discovered. A special examiner was sent on here from Washington, and after a thorough investigation the examiner reported favorably upon the claim.

A week or so ago Franklin McClenathan, the applicant, went to Lockport, N. Y., to visit a son, and while there died suddenly. The money which would have made him comfortable the remainder of his days came too late. The relatives, it appears, will only receive of the $2,790 as much as will cover the immediate expenses of his last sickness and burial.

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ASHLAND AVENUE BAPTISTS.

Annual Meeting at the Church Last Night.

The Ashland Avenue Baptist church held its annual meeting for the election of officers and the transaction of other business.

As has been their custom at such meetings a palatable lunch was served from 7 to 8 o'clock, and there was a good attendance.

The following officers were elected:

Sunday school superintendent—J. G. Lamson.

Assistant superintendent—G. B. Hull.

Deacons for three years—S. H. Lawton, C. S. Marcellus.

Church clerk—Irvin Belford.

Treasurer—Geo. B. Hull.

Assistant treasurer—C. R. Konopak.

Trustees—Isaac D. Smead, E. A. Rood, J. D. R. Lamson, E. E. Dow, Robert Nelson.

Reports from all the various societies of the church were received. The report of the treasurer showed a balance on hand after all expenses were paid.

The church shows excellent financial and business management. Although started as a mission church, every year of its history has shown a balance on hand in the treasury. The church debt has been paid.

Last evening among other things it was decided to increase the salary of the pastor and the organist, and by an almost unanimous vote decided to take active steps toward the erection of a new building large enough to meet the necessities of the church, and to buy additional grounds.

The meeting was entirely harmonious and satisfactory.

BETTER HUNT IN CANADA.

Much Excitement Over a Missing Man.

He Was Highly Respected and His Friends Are Searching the Mountains for His Remains.

Nyack, N. Y., Dec. 15.—Loud clanged the deep toned fire bell, and in response five hundred of the best citizens of the village gathered at the engine house.

Half an hour later, divided into fifty parties, many of them having trained hunting dogs with them, these men were scouring the surrounding country.

They were looking for Edward H. Cole, who for ten years was the clerk of the village, was the secretary of the board of education, secretary of the Oak Hill cemetery, director of the Nyack Choral and Philharmonic societies, superintendent of the Sabbath school of the Presbyterian church, and an active religious worker, a member of the Nyack Rowing association and other athletic and social organizations.

He was also the cashier for the real estate and insurance firm of General James H. Blauvelt and Robert H. M. Dickinson, which does a large business as agent for the Mutual Life insurance company and a dozen leading fire insurance companies. He practically conducted the operations of the firm, as General Blauvelt is incapaciated by paralysis and Mr. Dickinson travels almost all of the time.

It was Saturday afternoon that Cole was last seen in this village.

TWO JUSTICES SICK.

Washington, Dec. 15.—Justices Lamar and Brown, of the supreme court, are confined to their rooms by the grip. They are not seriously ill, however. The grip is quite prevalent.

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PRESIDENT PIERCE'S PARTNER DEAD.

Concord, N. H., Dec. 15.—Hon. Josiah Minot, once the law partner of President Franklin Pierce, died yesterday, aged 73. He was judge of the court of common pleas, an ex-president and director of the Concord railroad and prominently identified with many financial institutions.

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RED LEARY.

Another Case Against Him Tried in Police Court.

Charles Faber, alias Red Leary, was again arraigned in police court this morning on a charge of receiving stolen property. This time the goods were a lantern, two caps, some towels and a pair of long rubber boots, the property of Weber Bros., and taken from the yacht Nellie. The judge reserved his decision until to-morrow. The officers had in court a great quantity of stolen property, that was found at Faber's house, consisting of a quantity of tobacco, a pail and a bag of candy, taken from Michigan Central railroad cars, a quantity of tools, lanterns, shoes, caps, old clothes, rubber boots and coats and other goods taken from yachts in the harbor and other places.

The prosecution is being brought in separate cases for each lot of stuff, and the state is having a hard time to prove its side, and Faber has already been discharged in one case. Faber and his wife say that the stuff was taken to their house by their son and Claude Gregory, but claim to know nothing about it.

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NEW PLATE MILL.

Pittsburg, Pa., Dec. 15.—Andrew Carnegie has bought 54 acres of land at Duquesne, upon which he will at once erect an armor plate mill.

ANOTHER IRISH RIOT.

Warm Times in County Clare To-Day.

Parnellites Forced to Withdraw From the Combat—Dillon Was Wounded on the Head With a Stone.

Dublin, Dec. 15.—There was a riot at Ennis to-day between the McCarthyites and the Parnellites in attendance upon the Clare county convention.

Many were hurt on both sides. The Parnellites finally withdrew from the combat.

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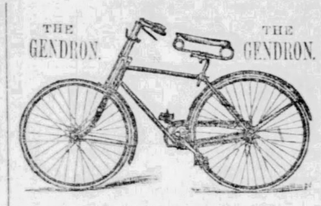
THE GENDRON.  THE GENDRON.
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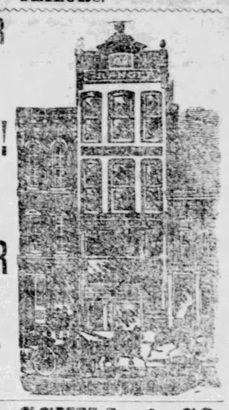
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New York Express..	*10:55 p m	*9:50 a m
Chicago Mail.....	*3:— a m	
Buffalo Accom.....	7:35 p m	6:10 a m
Norwalk Accom.....	1:30 p m	3:40 p m
Sandusky Division East.		
Bos. and N. Y. Spe...		5:00 p m
N. Y. and Chi. lim..	*3:25 a m	*11:55 p m
Chi. and N. Y. Ex..	*1:55 p m	*10:30 p m
Buff. and Chi. Accom.	9:35 a m	5:12 p m
Atlantic Express.....		*4:05 a m
Accommodation.....	7:45 p m	5:50 a m
Fast Mail.....		*2:55 p m
Old Road—West.		
Chicago Accom.....	*9:15 a m	*7:50 p m
Bos. and Chi. Spe...		*7:40 a m
Fast N. Y. and Bos. Ex	*10:25 p m	
Fast Mail.....	*2:50 p m	
Michigan Accom.....	4:40 p m	9:50 a m
Air Line Division—West.		
Chi. and Bos. Spe...	4:55 p m	
Atlantic Express.....	3:55 a m	
N. Y. and Chi. lim..	11:50 p m	*3:30 a m
Chicago Fast Mail....		*3:10 a m
Chicago Express.....		*2:00 p m
Pacific Express.....		*11:10 p m
Buff. and Chi. Accom	4:45 p m	10:05 a m
Kendallville Accom..	9:20 a m	6:00 p m
Jackson Branch.		
Express	9:15 a m	9:50 a m
Express	4:40 p m	7:50 p m
Lansing Branch.		
Express	2:50 p m	9:50 a m
Express	10:25 p m	
Kalamazoo and Grand Rapids Branch.		
Express.....	2:50 p m	11:10 p m
Express	10:25 p m	9:50 a m
Detroit Branch.		
Express.....	9:40 a m	7:42 a m
Express	4:42 p m	10:10 a m
Express	8:20 p m	4:05 p m

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Cin. and Ind. Express	*5:25 a m	10:15 a m
Cin. and Ind. Express	4:00 p m	*3:30 p m
Cin. and Ind. Express	9:40 p m	*11:40 p m
Cincinnati Express..	11:20 a m	6:45 a m
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GROCERY FOR SALE—GROCERY AND saloon on good corner, doing good business; will sell cheap. Address E. 86, Bee office, if you want a good business. 10dec6p

FOR SALE—STOCK GROCERIES—DOing good cash business; at a bargain; located on one of the best grocery streets in the city; no old stock. Address E. 83, care of Bee. 9dec6

FOR SALE—RESIDENCE—2040 FRANKlin avenue; lot 75 feet front; house contains modern improvements, and is, without doubt, one of the most desirable locations in the city. Will be sold at reasonable price and terms to desirable purchaser. Apply to W. C. Crabbs, Boody House block. 4dec-tf

WANTED—THE PEOPLE TO KNOW that they can always get fresh fish and all kinds of sea food at 622 Monroe street, near Erie; everything first-class. J. A. Nadeau & Co. 28novim

FOR SALE—GOOD LOT ON CHERRY street, near Sherman street, well located, 41x130. Will sell at reasonable figure. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—ON BARTLETT STREET, near Wells street, frontage to suit, lots 127 feet deep. Special inducements to parties desiring to build. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—STRICTLY FIRST CLASS property on Superior st., between Madison and Jefferson street; very desirable for improvement or investment; get our figures. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—LOT ON LINCOLN AVE., near Shaw ave., 35x120; good location; street cars convenient; prices reasonable. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—ON ERIE ST., NORTH TOledo, two lots at a bargain, each 25 feet front. For prices and particulars see Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—LOT IN CHERRY PLACE on Kent street, near Page street; good location; will sell at very reasonable price. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—ON COLLINGWOOD AVE., near Cherry street, choice residence property 240 feet deep; surroundings first class; get our figures on these lots. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—A FEW VERY DESIRABLE residence lots still left in Webster Place. If you want to buy cheap, now is the time to buy this property. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—FIRST CLASS PROPERTY for factory purposes on Wabash ave., near Thirteenth street; will sell at prices that are right. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—LOT 40x200 ON VANCE ST., near Detroit ave.; good property for investment; get our price and let us show you the lot. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—ON ONTARIO STREET, BEtween Mulberry and Magnolia streets; good location, at low figure. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—FRONTAGE TO SUIT, ON Forrer street, near Collingwood ave.; street cars convenient; lots all of good depth. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—GOOD PROPERTY FOR factory or cheap residence purposes, on Smith street; lots 118 feet deep, frontage to suit. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—FRONTAGE TO SUIT, ON Germania street, Indiana avenue and Missouri street, near Ewing street, lots at a low figure; if you want desirable 8th ward property see Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—COLLINGWOOD AVENUE, near Washington street; good neighborhood; street cars convenient; will sell frontage to suit, or build for parties desiring. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

FOR SALE—ON MICHIGAN ST., NORTH Toledo, corner lot, well located, and at proper price, lot 40 feet front and good depth. Irving B. Hiett & Co.

RESTAURANT AND SAMPLE ROOM for sale cheap, if sold immediately, at 912 Adams street. Inquire at premises. 27nov-tf

FOR SALE—ONE BAY MARE, CHEAP, at 439 Segur ave. Call soon. 25nov-tf

PROPERTY FOR SALE—HOUSE AND lot on Walbridge ave., $3,500; house and lot on Washington st., $2,500; 73 feet on Collingwood, near Delaware ave., at $40 per foot on Robinwood, near Bancroft, at $30; house and lot on Lee st., 9th ward, $1,400; 3 new cottages now being built on East Broadway, for $1,000 each; small down payments, balance monthly. Irving and Russell, 16 Produce Exchange. 25aug-tf

FOR SALE CHEAP—MEAT MARKET with all conveniences; 1417 Cherry st., Toledo, Ohio. 7nov1m-p

THEATER FOR SALE — PROPERTY known as the Standard theater, is for sale, rent or long lease; can be used for theatrical or manufacturing purposes; owner wishes to retire from business on account of sickness. I mean business. Enquire at the theater, Toledo, O. 4nov-tf

FOR RENT—HOUSES.

FOR RENT AT $16 PER MONTH, NEW 7-room house on Forrer street, between Collingwood and Lenk streets; good well and cistern and piped for both gases. Enquire 2145 Parkwood ave., near Bancroft. 15dec6p

FOR RENT—COTTAGE ON WESTERN avenue, No. 211, with gas. Inquire John Stack, 422 Wade street. 15dec6p

FOR RENT—STORE 521 ADAMS ST., 2nd door from Huron, now occupied by London Tea Co.; good opening for live business man. 14dec6p

FOR RENT—BRICK RESIDENCE NO. 225 Broadway; 10 rooms and bath room, all in good order; rent cheap to a responsible tenant. Enquire at Buckeye Tobacco Works, 16 to 20 Broadway. 12dec3p

FOR RENT—HOUSE 223 SYCAMORE street, $14. P. A. MacGahan, atty., 15-16, Gardner Place, cor. Superior and Madison streets. 12dec6

FOR RENT—TENEMENT NO. 1621 ON Dorr street. Thomas Dunlap, No. 241 Superior street. 10dec6

HOUSE FOR RENT—A TWO STORY double house, located on East Broadway, East Toledo, near Nevada street. Key can be found next door. The house has 7 rooms on each side, natural gas, well and cistern. Rent only $10 per month. C. E. Thompson, 413 12th street. 27nov-tf

HOUSE FOR RENT—A HOUSE OF 12 rooms with all the modern improvements, including natural gas, at 1225 Superior st.; splendid neighborhood, convenient to business. Apply to V. W. Granger, 305 Summit street. 4apr-tf

PERSONAL.

PERSONAL — YOUR FUTURE REvealed. Written prediction of your life, 10c. Give date of birth. Astrologer, L. Box 326, Kansas City, Mo. 13nov7w

PERSONAL—SEND 10c FOR BIG PACKage of cabinet size pictures, also full descriptions (including residences) of respectable ladies who want to correspond for matrimony; 5,000 lady members; every age and nationality; living everywhere; many of them beautiful and wealthy. Heart and Hand Agency, Drawer 697, Chicago, Ill. 13nov5w

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—$10 REWARD—WHITE SETTER bitch; ears black and white; black patch over right eye; tail has lump about two inches from end. Call on or address E. R. Young, care Shaw, Kendall & Co. 10dec6p

WANTED—SITUATIONS.

WANTED—ANY HONORABLE WORK for a boy. Address 375 West Lafayette street. 17

WANTED—POSITION BY A YOUNG man of 23, good penman; will work at any thing. Address E. 96, Bee office.

WANTED—POSITION BY YOUNG MAN of 26, willing to work at anything but canvassing. Address E. 95, Bee office.

WANTED — SITUATION AS DRUG clerk, registered, single man; six years experience. Address E. 97, Bee office.

WANT WASHING AND IRONING DONE at home or away by the day. 518 Ontario street. 20

WANTED—SITUATION BY A YOUNG man in a store or office; one who is willing to work; can come well recommended; fair penman; strictly temperate. Address E. 90, Bee office. 11dec8

WANTED—WORK BY A GENERAL wood working machine hand, or any honorable work; has had experience with horses. Address F. J. L., 342 Nebraska ave., city.

WANTED—POSITION AS BOOKKEEPER by reliable young man; salary not object; good reference. Address Box 2, Bokes Creek, Ohio. 19

WORK WANTED AT WASHING, IRONing or housework by a woman with family dependent on her work. Address E. 87, Bee office. 21

A WOMAN WISHES TO TAKE WASHing at home, 1012 Broadway. 21

WANTED—A SITUATION BY SHOEmaker; good at repairing. Address E. 84, Bee office.

WANTED—SITUATION IN BOARDING house or hotel; second work or light housework, for plain elderly people, or store work through holidays; capable. Call or address Miss M. Hamm, 615 Washington st. 22

WANTED—SITUATION AS CLERK IN store by girl 17 years old. Address 642 Prouty ave. 24

WANTED—SITUATION BY A QUALIfied, practical boiler man and engineer; over 13 years practical experience with stationary steam boilers and engines; married; resident of city; references given. Call or address Jack, 116 Tecumseh street. 24

WANTED—WORK—BY A UNION CARpenter; good on soft or hard wood finishing or any outside work. Call or send word to 621 Lafayette st, city, near Erie. 27

WANTED—POSITION AS DRUG CLERK. Have had 12 years experience; best of reference as to ability; strictly sober. Address Bromide, 219 West street, Findlay, Ohio. 26

WANTED—SITUATION BY A YOUNG man of 20; one who is willing to work and can come well recommended. Address Jas. Hanks, 4 Unity Block. 26

WANTED—SITUATION BY A YOUNG man 19 years of age, in a store or office; speaks three languages, and is a fair penman. Address E. 79, care of Bee office.

WANTED — SITUATION IN SOME wholesale house as traveling salesman by a man of ten years experience, from Chicago; for particulars address H., Box 493, Hudson, Michigan. 20

WANTED—SITUATION BY A BOY TO work in restaurant. Address Room 8, Unity Block.

WANTED—SITUATION AS PHARMAcist; registered; single man; six years experience. Address E. 81, Bee office, Toledo, Ohio. 24

MONEY TO LOAN.

MONEY LOANED ON HOUSEHOLD goods, etc., on easy time, without removal, to pay necessary expenses; business transacted at your homes confidentially. Address Loan, P. O. Box 390. 12decim

MONEY TO LOAN—IF YOU WANT $25 to $500 on chattel mortgage, I will negotiate such loans on fair terms. M. O. Waggoner, office and residence, 613 Madison street. 24oct1yr

MONEY—TO LOAN ON REAL ESTATE in large or small amounts at low rate of interest. T. S. Merrell, 512 Madison street. 17aug1yr

MONEY TO LOAN ON HOUSEHOLD goods, pianos, horses, wagons, etc., without removal; partial payments received reducing cost pro rata; all business strictly confidential. Croft, Room 14, Worthington Block, Adams and Superior streets. 16may-tf

ROOMS FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—LARGE FRONT SLEEPING room, heated, suitable for one or two gentlemen; also one small sleeping room. Call at 116 Erie street, near Monroe. 14dec6p

FOR RENT—FURNISHED ROOMS AT 930 Summit st. 14dec2p

FOR RENT—FURNISHED BACK ROOM on first floor; suitable for two gentlemen, with board. Call at 707 Madison st. 10dec6

FOR RENT—TWO NICE ROOMS, FURnished or unfurnished, with gas; 10 minutes walk from postoffice. Call 1117 Washington street. 21nov-tf

FURNISHED ROOMS SINGLE AND EN suite and board. Inquire 220 Huron street. 19sep-tf

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—LEATHER POCKETBOOK CONtaining some valuable papers, keys, a little money and some postage stamps, in the postoffice or between there and the Union Savings Bank. Finder will be well rewarded if brought to the Bee office. 14dec2p

$10 REWARD—LOST ON MONROE ST. Friday night, black and tan Gordon setter bitch 20 months old; answers to the name of Belle; short hair, very glossy; heavy leather collar. Return to L. I. Martin, Room 18, St. Clair Building. 15dec2p

FOR EXCHANGE.

TO EXCHANGE—PARTIES HAVING horse, buggy, safety bicycle, watch or anything of value to dispose of can make profitable exchange and have employment if desired by calling Room 22, Hanner House. 8dec6p

DIED.

STEIN—Sunday, Dec. 13th, at 5:15 p. m., Nancy Stein, wife of John Stein, aged 50 years, 1 month.

Funeral Wednesday, Dec. 16th, at 10 o'clock a. m., from the Second Baptist church, East Toledo. Friends invited. 13dec2p

HAVAKIN—Monday, Dec. 14, 1891, Mrs. Ann Havakin, aged 63 years.

Funeral from St. Francis De Sales church Thursday morning at 8 o'clock. 15dec2p

BURIAL NOTICE.

The remains of the late William Hannon will be buried from the vault at Calvary cemetery, Wednesday, December 16th, at 2 p. m. p

CITY NEWS.

Ask for Seyfang's "New Process" bread.

Concert of the Eurydice club at Westminster church to-morrow night.

Van Wert has just sent another contribution to the Toledo stoneyard.

Round social at North Toledo to-night, under the auspices of the lodge of Good Templars.

A. H. Ballard has taken out a building permit for a $1,000 frame dwelling on Broadway.

Even the Toledo natural gas field, the most abundant in Ohio, is failing.—Columbus Press.

Cleveland Catholics have appointed a large committee to arrange for the reception of Bishop Hortsmann.

Judge Bentley is occupying the circuit bench at Cleveland, to hear cases in which Judge Baldwin is interested.

Warden Dyer will not allow newspaper men to witness the execution of murderer Fitzgerald on Thursday night.

Next Friday evening the last athletic contest in the present series will take place at the Y. M. C. A. hall.

A meeting of the O. Y. C. has been called for to-night at 8:30 to take action on the death of A. M. F. Billingslea.

The county commissioners this morning appointed viewers to locate a road and extension of the Fulton county line road east.

The funeral of Mrs. John Stein will take place from the Second Baptist church, East Toledo, to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.

The regular meeting of the Toledo Canoe club was held last evening, and a small amount of routine business was transacted.

The Fourteenth regiment armory will be the headquarters of O. N. G. and Toledo cadets at the inauguration of Governor McKinley.

Send the washing to the Toledo Steam Laundry Co. Phone 438.

The syndicate oil case is still on hearing in the United States district court.

Postmaster Brown has on exhibition today handsome pictures of two ocean steamers. They are beauties.

The superintendent of the registry office desires people wishing to send out registered letters or packages to come early. There is always a crush towards the last.

The cases on the assignment in room No. 1 of the common pleas court have been suspended on account of the illness of Judge Lemmon.

Toledo lodge's party last evening was enjoyable, a number of K. P.'s and their ladies participating. Another will be held two weeks from last night.

The new M. E. church at Columbus Grove will be dedicated on December 27, by Rev. W. H. Moore, of Cincinnati, editor of the Western Christian Advocate.

W. W. Leach, of Toledo, is in the city working in the interest of the proposed national emancipation monument to John Brown at Springfield, Ill.—Cincinnati Post.

An athletic entertainment will be given for the benefit of Jack Kerwin at the Maumee club rooms foot of Adams street on Thursday evening. An excellent program has been arranged and a good time anticipated.

Gold pens, pencils, toothpicks, etc., at B. H. Broer's.

Col. W. P. Orr, of Piqua, and Col. L. H. Williams, of Ripley, are mentioned as candidates for department commander of Ohio's Grand Army, at the coming encampment in Piqua.

A dispatch from Canton to the Cleveland World states that: "The general impression is that the state librarian will be a Toledo man, and that Thornburg will be railroad commissioner."

Buy diamonds at Chas. B. Bargman's.

The Ys have been the subject of much favorable comment in the past few days for the successful manner in which they put on their calendar carnival. The regret is that the time was so brief.

Buy gold glasses at Bargman's.

Col. Rosser, manager of the Findlay, Fort Wayne & Western, is making the road a success. Several fine new cars have been put on, the road-bed improved, and it is now one of the finest short lines in the state.

The Building Trades council held a brief meeting last evening. The representatives of the various locals were instructed to present such resolutions as they may see fit to the delegates from Toledo to the State Trades assembly.

Buy opera glasses at Bargman's.

Eber L. Kelsey sued Abraham Gilmore in common pleas court to-day to recover $350 damages. He claims that Gilmore bought 1,000 cubic feet of ship timber belonging to him of a person who had no authority to sell the same.

People who use Buckeye paints and varnishes say they are the best.

Broadway Methodists will, one week from this evening, hold what is to be known as a family social reunion in the church, and an enjoyable time may safely be expected. Pastor Bethards and the officials intend to make it the event of the season.

Umbrellas—Special for the holidays. Just received a large stock of fine Silk Umbrellas. Come and see. B. H. Broer, 606 S. St. Clair street.

No Christmas and New Year's table should be without a bottle of Dr. Siegert's Angostura Bitter, the world-renowned appetizer of exquisite flavor. Beware of counterfeits.

Yesterday Mrs. Anne Havakin, a well-known and highly respected pioneer of the Maumee valley, died at the home of her son, Mr. James Langon, 1411 Michigan street. Mrs. Mary Welch and Miss Maggie Finnegan were also daughters of the deceased. The funeral will take place from St. Francis de Sales church Thursday morning.

St. John's Chapter of the Epworth league held its regular monthly meeting last evening in the church parlors. After devotional exercises, led by the president, Mr. L. S. Churchill, the regular business was disposed of, and then a social hour was spent, preceded by the following brief program: Vocal solo, Mrs. L. S. Churchill; reading, Waite St. John; reading, Miss Jennie W. Jones; piano solo, Mrs. S. W. Bartlett.

Medicine indorsed and used by physicians and druggists—Simmons Liver Regulator.

You must see our Plush Coats and Sacques to realize the reductions we have made on them.

NEUHAUSEL BROS.

QUAKER MEETING IN ENGLAND.

In a London magazine Miss Evelyn Pyne gives a charming account of the Quakers' meeting at Redcar, and describes a beautiful Quakeress, who appeared to her dazzled gaze a veritable star. Her face, with her great lustrous blue eyes, became as the face of an angel while she prayed. A sense of inexpressible peace and thankfulness filled her heart, she says, and she lifted up what was perhaps the first real prayer of her life.

A steady increase in our Carpet trade.
NEUHAUSEL BROS.

THE MEDIEVAL HELL.

There is a great deal of curious information in an article in an English church magazine on the subject of the medieval hell. For instance, Jean Hardouin maintained that the rotation of the earth was due to the efforts of the damned to escape from their central fire. Climbing up the walls of hell, they caused the earth to revolve as a squirrel its cage, or a dog the spit.

A German square mile, it has been calculated by an ecclesiastic, would contain a hundred thousand millions of damned.

Another authority states that the devils number exactly 44,435,556.

SUNDAY EXCURSION TICKETS.

Until further notice the C., H. & D. will sell Sunday excursion tickets at one fare for the round trip, good for the day of sale only, and only between stations on the line between Cincinnati and Toledo.

Offices in the Bee building are now complete, and ready for rent. They possess all modern improvements and conveniences.

"Holdfast" rubbers will not slip at the heel. J. C. PROSSER & CO.

THE WORLD WELCOMES SANTA CLAUS AGAIN.

And everyone is on the lookout for Christmas presents. To buyers of Holiday gifts we announce our firm intention to please you one and all with the unusual opportunities we offer everywhere throughout our complete and well selected line of elegant holiday goods. We are now fully prepared to meet the demands of the season, and assure the public that visitors will be cordially welcome. Whether you wish to purchase or not we shall be glad to entertain you with our charming exhibition of Diamonds, Watches, Jewelry, Silverware Novelties, etc.

GEO. KAPP, Reliable Jeweler,
415 Summit street.

See our 75c embroidered slippers.
J. C. PROSSER & CO.

EURYDICE CLUB CONCERT.

Mr. E. B. Spaulding, the rising young baritone, who will appear in the concert given by the Eurydice club to-morrow night is possessed of a rich voice, which has been heard frequently in concert in his own state, and always to the delight of his audience. He comes to us from Ann Arbor, and is also member of a fine quartet in Westminster church of Detroit.

Call on us for Christmas slippers.
J. C. PROSSER & CO.

PARDON REFUSED.

Washington, Dec. 15.—The president has refused to pardon Wm. Zang, of Illinois, convicted of violating the postal laws.

X MAS CARDS. Handsome Christmas Cards given away free Saturday next, Dec. 19th. One for every customer.
BEESCH'S TEA STORE,
613 Summit St., near monument.

Now for Plush Cloak bargains.
NEUHAUSEL BROS.

SPECIMEN ART PRODUCTS OF AMERICA

Will form the subject of the tenth window in our series of exhibits of the wares of different nations, and will show that our own country occupies the front rank as regards many of her manufactures.

WRIGHT, KAY & COMPANY, Diamond Merchants, Importers, and Jewelers,
140 Woodward Ave., Detroit.

FADS FOUND AT THE JEWELERS.

As Discovered by a Bee on the Regular Rounds.

Spoons with gold bowls and slender handles are elegant.

Silver heart shaped frames for photographs are new.

The latest spoon out is the English 5 o'clock tea spoon.

Combined collar and cuff boxes with plush tops are unique.

Toilet bottles with silver cases enclosing the bottles are popular.

Silver letter cases with chamois backs are convenient and elegant.

Writing sets, consisting of tray, pen and blotter in bright silver are novel.

A novel handkerchief box comes in silver, satin lined and hand painted.

A soap box for toilet table in silver, with satin finish and engraved, is quite the thing.

Enamel goods take the lead at the present time in jewelry, and flower designs are popular.

Pen holders in fluted silver, embossed silver, pearl and oriental pearl are desirable presents for any one.

The new designs in smoking sets would make an inexpensive present for the gentleman friend who smokes.

Spoons in the "soldier's memorial," "Christopher Columbus," "Toledo spoons," and other designs are popular.

A fine present for a lady would be a silver glove box, which is satin lined, with glass top. A silver glove buttoner goes with this.

A postal card case, a memoranda and stamp book combined and a convenient size to carry in one's pocket, is made of bright silver, satin lined, with tanned kid back, painted in conventional designs.

A blotting pad with silver cover in the shape of a sole, upon which is this and similar inscriptions: "Times are hard as you plainly see, yet a merry Christmas from my sole I wish thee," are unique, and make a nice and reasonable present for a friend.

GIVEN AWAY FREE. Our annual distribution of Christmas Cards will take place Saturday next, Dec. 19th. Be sure and visit us on that day.
BEESCH'S TEA STORE,
613 Summit St., near monument.

A PRACTICAL SUGGESTION.

A gentleman walking along the Strand, London, saw approaching him a man in tatters carrying a tray, on which were some small pies marked one penny each. He accosted the poor fellow, and was sympathising with him on his sad plight and altered circumstances, when the other exclaimed:

"Hang your pity! Buy a pie."

See us on Carpets.
NEUHAUSEL BROS.

A STORY OF DOM PEDRO.

Deeply interested as was Dom Pedro in scientific matters, it appears that he once fell asleep at a meeting of savants. He was making a tour through Italy and had become very weary when the hour for this gathering came. To the earlier proceedings he gave close heed, but, after he had dozed off, the lecturer, not discovering the situation, ventured upon a eulogy of the distinguished auditor. Thereupon the audience loudly applauded. Dom Pedro woke and supposing the demonstration to have been called forth by some utterance upon a scientific question began to clap his hands with an air of conviction.

Plush Sacques and Coats.
Prices away down to the bottom.
NEUHAUSEL BROS.

HOLIDAY RATES.

A Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year.

In order to give their patrons a chance to properly celebrate the holidays, the Wheeling & Lake Erie railway will sell excursion tickets between all stations on their line, at low excursion rates for the round trip.

Tickets will be sold on December 24, 25 and 31, and January 1, 1892, and will be good for return passage up to and including January 4, 1892. Children between the ages of 5 and 12 years, half excursion rate.

For any further information regarding rates on the W. & L. E. railway, or any of its connecting lines, apply to the nearest agent of the W. & L. E. railway, or to
JAS. M. HALL,
General Passenger Agent.

CALIFORNIA EXCURSIONS.

The Wabash Railroad company has commenced the sale of low rate single and round trip tourist tickets to all principal Pacific coast points and the City of Mexico, giving over 200 different combinations of routes going and returning.

The Wabash is the only line east of Chicago that has a complete line of tourist tickets, obviating the annoyance to passengers of exchanging their tickets at some point en route. Palace reclining chair cars (seats free), elegant sleepers and famous Wabash dining cars on all trains. Through Pullman buffet sleeping cars and palace reclining chair cars (seats free) Toledo to Kansas City without change. Only one change of cars to any Pacific coast or intermediate point. For lowest rates, maps, folders, etc., call on or write Boody House Ticket office, or P. E. Dombaugh, passenger and ticket agent Wabash railroad, 308 Madison street, Toledo, O.

Visit our carpet rooms—third floor.
NEUHAUSEL BROS.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

ARE YOU LOOKING

To your comfort and pleasure as you should when you ride in a rickety-rackety wagon, behind a go-as-you-please horse? Why not give McGlynn a chance to show you what he can do in the way of a stylish turnout.

Call up 'phone 1035, or call at 442 Summit street, opposite Neuhausels'.

BOOKS! BOOKS!

1,000 12mos at 20c each.
Dickens, 15 volumes, $3.90.
Thackeray, 10 volumes, $2.75.
10,000 Picture Books, from 3c up.
Plenty room for the crowd in the large rooms of C. L. Luce building, corner Summit and Madison streets.

Wagon load of toys.
COLTON & HICKOX,
Opposite Lion Store.

CHRISTMAS SOUVENIR

Of the old Parish Church given with a 50c purchase Saturday, Dec. 19 to 24. Union Tea & Coffee Co., 619 Cherry st.

FREE! FREE! FREE!
Mockett's Christmas Gift Sale
FREE! FREE! FREE!

EVERY 10th PURCHASE FREE!
FREE! FREE! FREE!

EVERY 10TH PURCHASE FROM OUR IMMENSE STOCK IN EVERY DEPARTMENT ABSOLUTELY FREE UNTIL CHRISTMAS.

FREE! FREE! FREE!
A BONA-FIDE HOLIDAY GIFT!

Recognizing the appreciation of our efforts to worthily enjoy the approbation of the public, as manifested in the good will shown by our large and growing trade, we have decided to share with our friends the fruits of our success. Beginning this morning we will inaugurate a

Mockett's Christmas Gift Sale!

By giving to each tenth purchaser in every department the amount of their purchase

FREE! FREE! FREE!

The goods will remain at the same unmatchable prices, affixed for the regular course of our trade and guaranteed the lowest in the city, and the affair will simply be that we will thus distribute with exact fairness to all

ONE-TENTH OF OUR DAILY SALES
FREE! FREE! FREE!

To our friends and patrons, This Great Gift Sale continues until the close of business, Christmas Eve.

MOCKETT THE CLOTHIER

BUSINESS LOCAL.

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.

Immense is the crowd at the Great Boston Bazaar, buying their Christmas presents. An elegant line of goods, from 5c articles to $20, in the large rooms of C. L. Luce building, corner Summit and Madison.

BARGAINS IN TOBACCO.

Good, dark Fine Cut Chewing Tobacco, 25c lb.
Good, dark Lorillard's Plug Tobacco, 25c lb.
Honey Thread Chewing or Smoking Tobaccos, 25c lb.
Boston Smoking, 4 stone pipes with each lb., 20c lb.
Old Times Smoking Tobacco, 16c lb.
Lorrillard Rose Leaf Chewing Tobacco, 1-lb. tin boxes, 65c, at
E. A. ROOD'S.
St. Clair st., opp. Steadman monument.

7 lbs. Rolled Oats for 25c.
8 lbs. Oatmeal for 25c, at
E. A. ROOD'S.

Coasters, Sleds and Skates, all styles and sizes.
COLTON & HICKOX,

DOLLS! DOLLS!

Doll Cabs, Wagons, Velocipedes, Chairs, Rocking Horses, Work Baskets, Iron and Tin Toys, at Great Boston Bazaar, corner Summit and Madison streets

ARE YOU MOVING?

Well, don't worry over it, but call in one of McGlynn's moving vans. Everything handled with care. Special attention given to the moving of pianos. 442 Summit street.

Rings at Folwers', 516 Adams street.

We have a lot of goods that we are bound to sell between now and Christmas. Come and get our prices.
ROULET & BAKER, Jewelers,
305 Summit street.

Holiday H'dk'f s, Mufflers, Muffs, Gloves Silk Mitts.
A. P. STEWART, 316 Monroe st.

Christmas tree ornaments in endless variety at L. H. Meinert's, corner Summit and Oak streets.

Mechanical novelties for Christmas. Largest stock in the city.
COLTON & HICKOX,
326 Summit St.

TOYS! DOLLS! TOYS!

The largest line and the lowest prices we have ever had. Bring the children to see Santa Claus and the toys.
A. P. STEWART, 316 Monroe st.

Before you buy patent rockers, parlor sets or lounges see my own work and get prices. G. Bonash, 534 S. St. Clair street.

CALL McGLYNN'S AMBULANCE
If you want prompt and reliable service. It is in the heart of the city and stands ready for call day or night. Charges reasonable for first-class service. Phone 1035.

Buy your Sleds, Dolls,